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## ARCHBOLD LETTERS PROCURED FOR \$34,000 SAYS MR. FORAKER

Former Senator Completes  
His Defense and Denies  
Any Wrong Doing in Con-  
nection With Standard Oil

### EXPLAINS IN DETAIL

Witness Declares He Was  
Never a Lobbyist and Had  
Never Made a False State-  
ment as to Correspondence

WASHINGTON—Former Senator Joseph B. Foraker of Ohio completed his defense of any wrong doing in connection with his relations with the Standard Oil Company today by reading to the Clapp campaign fund investigations committee a statement which alleged that William R. Hearst, the New York publisher, paid \$34,000 for the Archbold letters which he published. Mr. Foraker declared he knew nothing as to the accuracy of the statement which was secured by one of his private agents from Willie Winkfield of Chicago and purported to be Winkfield's version of how the letters were secured.

The former senator vigorously denied ever being in any sense a lobbyist for Standard Oil and insisted that there was nothing unethical in his acting as counsel for that company at one period in his career.

Mr. Foraker termed as "preposterous" Mr. Hearst's statement yesterday that he knew nothing as to how the letters were obtained.

The former senator prefaced his examination by the vigorous declaration that he had never made a false statement in regard to the Standard Oil letters.

Then he took up the Archbold letters in detail, explaining them with documents and long statements as to legislative history. He said there was nothing whatever to show that he ever did anything to defeat Ohio legislative bills responding to Mr. Hearst's interpretation of certain letters.

The former senator then read letters from the authors of various bills in the Ohio Legislature, absolving him from any share in their defeat.

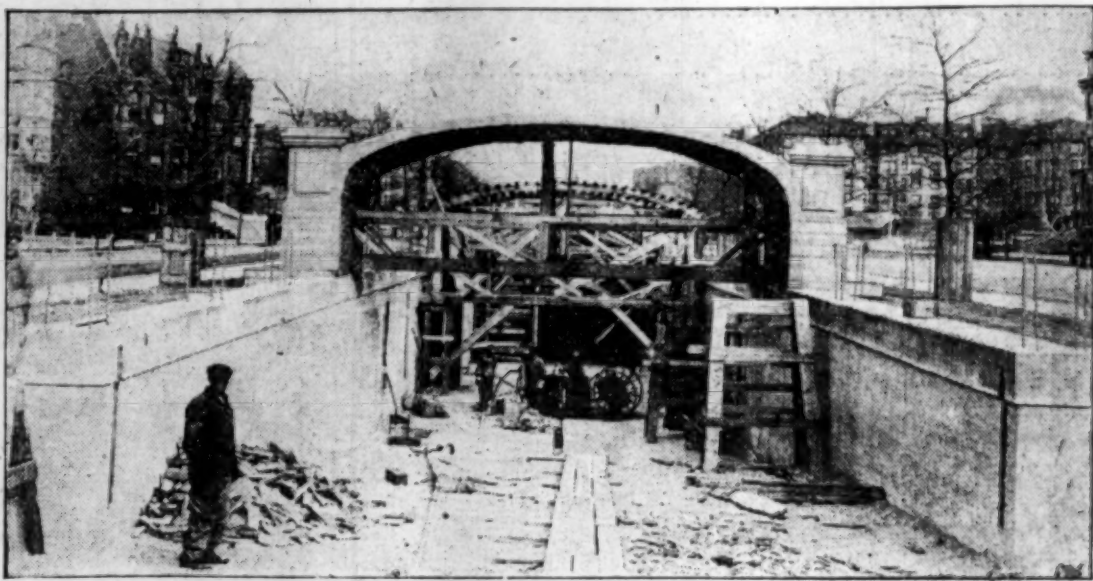
As to loans from Mr. Archbold, Mr. Foraker explained that at one time he asked for \$50,000 to assist James L. Rogers of Columbus in the purchase of a newspaper. The property was not bought and the money was returned in a few days. Mr. Foraker read his letter with which he sent the sum back to the Standard Oil head. He charged that Mr. Hearst deliberately suppressed information in his possession that a sum loaned Mr. Foraker by Mr. Archbold had been repaid, a \$50,000 loan reduced subsequently to \$35,000.

"During all the time that I was in the United States Senate," the witness declared, "I never sought to influence the Legislature on behalf of any legislation. My opinion was asked at times and I gave it."

Mr. Foraker re-read all his public statements, made at the time Mr. Hearst first read the Archbold letters, reiterating his innocence, and protesting that there was nothing unethical in his acting as

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## HOOD STYLE OF SUBWAY PORTAL GETS TRIAL



Arch of wood exhibited in Commonwealth avenue, at Beacon street, where Boylston street operation is under way, for observation purposes

## EFFORTS ARE MADE TO ENABLE STEAMER TO REGAIN LOST TIME

When the Leyland line steamer Devonian, Capt. A. W. V. Trant, made fast to the Cunard pier, East Boston, today, a large gang of longshoremen hastened aboard and began "breaking" the cargo. The steamer, from Liverpool, is three days late.

Efforts are being made to get the liner away but one day behind time and longshoremen have received orders to work night and day. The vessel is scheduled to leave Saturday morning at 7 a. m., but will be held until Sunday. About 3500 tons of cargo must be removed and a measurement freight of 16,000 tons stowed in the holds.

On board the liner were 36 cabin passengers, among them: Dr. W. T. Graham and James Speed of Boston; Mr. and Mrs. E. Butterworth and Miss H. Butterworth of Lawrence, and Dr. E. L. Coffin of St. Louis.

Capt. W. Japha, of Liverpool, another passenger, said he was intending to spend about three years in this country, taking in the Panama-Pacific exposition and viewing the canal itself. He formerly commanded steamers in the Mediterranean-West Indies trade.

Others of the liner report unfavorable conditions. One day the liner only logged four knots an hour.

## GOV. WILSON SEES LEADERS OF PARTY

NEW YORK—An important series of political conferences by which President-elect Wilson expects to become familiar with all of the problems he will have to solve after he takes the oath of office next year began here this afternoon. They will continue here and at Trenton and Princeton.

Today's conference was with William F. McCombs, chairman of the Democratic national committee, and with William G. McAdoo, the vice-chairman.

## TRIAL IS GIVEN A HOOD ENTRANCE INTO THE SUBWAY

Wooden forms representing an architectural hood over the entrance to the new Boylston street subway, in the center of Commonwealth avenue, near the Four Corners, have been erected by the transit commission to observe the effect of such an architectural treatment in contrast to an open cut with artistic balustrades.

This action was taken at the request of property owners on either side of the avenue who were averse to the open cut because of the noise and dirt which it was to be expected would emanate from it. If the entrance is covered, according to the new plan for about two-thirds of the length of the incline from the portal, the concrete of which it would be constructed would be covered with earth and grassed over, leaving the walls showing only at the mouth.

There is now considerable discussion as to which method of beautifying the subway entrance would be most acceptable to all parties interested.

## BOSTON BUREAU FOR FIRE PREVENTION IS URGED BY OFFICIAL

District Chief Henry A. Fox believes Boston should establish a fire prevention bureau. He makes this recommendation in a report to Fire Commissioner Cole as the result of his recent visit to Philadelphia, where he was a delegate to the housing conference. Commissioner Cole submitted this report to the mayor today.

District Chief Fox says that after listening to what other delegates at Philadelphia had to say about fire prevention bureaus, he became convinced that Boston should have one which, while under the general supervision of the fire department, should have its own inspectors, who would have authority to enforce the regulations enacted. He says that in the present system authority is divided between departments, but that with a prevention bureau the present hazard would be materially lessened.

## PRINCE KATSURA HAS TASK OF FORMING JAPANESE CABINET

LONDON—Prince Katsura has been given the task of forming the new Japanese cabinet. His rapid reemergence from retirement from politics, which he had recently announced as final, has created considerable remark. The forces opposed to him are very strong and though he is apparently assured of, at all events, the neutrality of Marquis Saito, he will most likely have to face the hostility of the military party under Marshal Yamagata. His supporters, however, believe that he will overcome all obstacles owing to his extraordinary ability.

## TRICK PLAYED, SAYS GRAND TRUNK LAWYER

James W. Remick of Concord, N. H., counsel for the Grand Trunk railway in that state, is sending out today a letter to the associates and directors of the Southern New England Railroad Corporation and to the organizations and individuals "whose support of the Grand Trunk may have been induced by my assurances of its good faith," in which he shows how he and others were tricked in the abandonment of the Grand Trunk project.

Judge Remick recommends legislation to secure control of the Boston & Maine railroad.

## STOPPAGE OF WORK QUERIED BY JURY

NEW YORK—The federal grand jury which is investigating the alleged traffic monopoly of the New Haven railroad in New England, today inquired why certain extensions of the Southern New England railroad were held up and whether plans for building other railway systems into that territory were abandoned under pressure from the New Haven. Among the witnesses called were N. J. Dugan, private secretary to President Mellen; George H. Curtis, president of the O'Brien Construction Company, which had the contract to build the Southern New England into Providence; John F. Murdoch, vice-president of the Southern New England; E. A. Fitzhugh, vice-president of the Grand Trunk; Benjamin Campbell, vice-president and traffic manager of the New Haven, and Timothy E. Byrnes, vice-president of the New Haven railroad.

## GOVERNOR SETS TIME FOR CONFERENCE TO DISCUSS COAL PRICES

Governor Foss arranged today for a conference with James M. Swift, attorney-general, and representatives of the United Improvement Association at the Governor's office at 10 a. m. tomorrow to discuss the charges that exorbitant prices are being asked for coal in the state and to determine what action, if any, shall be taken.

Joseph J. Leonard, president of the United Improvement Association, at noon said that his organization would be represented by William C. Ewing, Joseph R. Yendley, Myron E. Pierce and himself.

The committee will lay before the Governor and attorney-general the evidence which they have obtained and which Mr. Leonard says seems to indicate that unduly high prices for coal are being charged in Boston and elsewhere in the commonwealth.

## UNIONIST MAJORITY SAYS FOOD TAX WILL HAVE TO BE DROPPED

Powerful Minority, However,  
Still Steadfastly Opposes  
This View Following Policy  
Laid Down by Bonar Law

### SUPPORT DIVIDED

Yet There Is the Strongest  
Disinclination to Weaken  
His Leadership at the  
Present Moment

LONDON—Bonar Law's speech has been received with considerable difference of opinion in Unionist circles. The fact is that a close study of public opinion has convinced the majority of the Unionist members that the food taxes will have to be dropped. On the other hand, a powerful minority still steadfastly adheres to them. This is the party led by Austen Chamberlain, who, speaking at the same moment as Mr. Law, strongly advocated the duty on corn.

It will be remembered that on the retirement of Mr. Balfour the respective supporters of Walter Long and Austen Chamberlain prevented either of those gentlemen from being elected leader. In consequence of this the choice of the party fell on Bonar Law. Mr. Long's supporters are among the opponents of food taxes, and now appear to be the gaining party, as they have been estimated at from 70 to 80 per cent of the Unionists in the House.

The policy outlined by Bonar Law has by no means united his supporters. Numbers of the principal Unionist papers are severely critical, but there is the strongest disinclination to weaken his leadership at the present moment. This was brought out by Lord Curzon, who, speaking yesterday at York, declared that the question before the party was to turn the government out rather than to fix the details of any fiscal policy of the future.

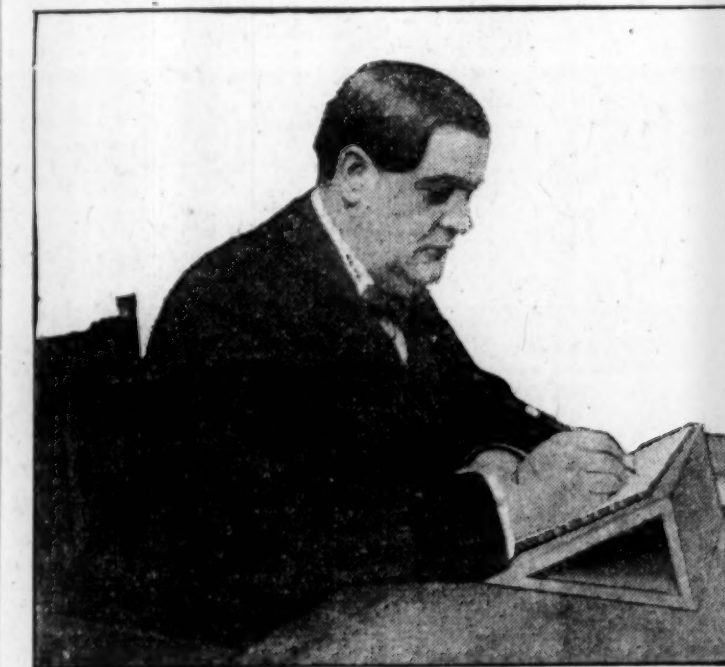
### HAMBURG LINER DOCKS

The Hamburg-American line steamship Bulgaria, Captain Filler, from Hamburg, via New York, docked here today. There were 1000 steerage passengers landed at New York and a large cargo will be discharged here.

### SUIT AGAINST SOUTHERN PACIFIC

WASHINGTON—A suit will be filed in San Francisco on Saturday by the department of justice against the Southern Pacific Railroad Company through Agent Townsend to reclaim titles to an area of land alleged to have been fraudulently acquired under the land laws.

## JOSEPH URBAN SHOWS PARIS AT DAWN AND AT TWILIGHT



(Photo by Ruttenberg, Boston opera company)

Stage director of Boston opera company presents two studies of Montmartre for "Louise," work to be produced tonight

Joseph Urban, the scenic director of the Boston Opera Company, has prepared two studies of the city of Paris as seen from Montmartre for the production of Charpentier's opera, "Louise," to be given tonight. The first scene, representing the city awakening, is a picture in the opalescent colors of the impressionists, and displays in the foreground a group of homely gable and lean-to little structures such as cling to the side of the picturesque height and gives a view of the city buildings just at the foot of the mount by way of background. The distance, instead of being of the purple, golden and other iridescent hues of the foreground, is brown. The effect of middle distance is gained by having certain

## BRIQUETTE PLANT FOR \$3.50 COAL URGED BY BOSTON ENGINEER

A plan whereby Boston could be supplied with coal at \$3.50 a ton was unfolded to Mayor Fitzgerald today by J. Boardman Cann, who is a consulting engineer of Boston. He recommends the establishment of a municipal plant for the manufacture of briquetted coal at a cost of \$100,000, which he says would pay for itself in four years and save the city of Boston \$25,000 a year.

In a letter to Mayor Fitzgerald Mr. Cann says that an investigation of the coal question, such as the mayor recommends, would result in the desired end so far as the material reduction in price was concerned.

He recommends the establishment of a municipal coal plant that shall engage in making the anthracite coal dust into domestic fuel. He says briquetted coal has been sold in New England for the past six years and it is now possible to use a combining material without smell or smoke in the manufacture of this coal which would sell for about \$3.50 a ton.

Boston, he maintains, uses approximately 20,000 tons of anthracite at \$5.50 a ton in a year.

## GEN. JONES' ARMY REDUCED TO FOUR NOW AT PEEKSKILL

PEEKSKILL, N. Y.—Four of the army of suffrage advocates who started from New York on Monday to carry the message of universal suffrage to Albany, escorted by four newspaper correspondents, reached here today. Gen. Rosalie Jones, leader of the movement, said that even though she should be left alone the message would reach Governor Sulzer in Albany.

The intrepid marchers who pushed on in addition to Miss Jones were Lavinia Dock, Jessie Hardy Stubbs and Ida Craft.

## \$600,000 LIMIT ON PLEASANT ST. COST FIN. COM. REPORTS

Unless the cost can be limited to \$600,000 for the widening of Pleasant street the project should be abandoned, according to a report made by the finance commission today. The commission sees grave danger of the undertaking costing more than this amount.

Mayor Fitzgerald after reading the report insisted, however, that the project should be put through and ought to have been done 20 years ago to aid in the legitimate development of the South End.

## OVER \$25,325,000,000 SAID TO BE DOMINATED BY 18 FINANCIAL FIRMS

Money Trust Investigation  
Committee Experts Present  
Statistics as J. P. Morgan  
Awaits Call to Testify

### GIVE MANY FIGURES

Five Concerns Are Alleged to  
Have 341 Directors in 112  
of the Leading Corpora-  
tions of the Country

### CHART SHOWING INTERLOCK- ING DIRECTORATES AMONG 18 BIG FINANCIAL CONCERNS

	Direct- ors.	Cor- pora- tions.
J. P. Morgan & Co., New York	63	39
First National Bank of New York	103	49
Guaranty Trust Co., New York	160	76
Bankers Trust Co., New York	113	56
Kuhn, Loeb & Co., New York	15	12
National Bank of Commerce	149	82
Hanover National Bank, New York	37	29
Chase National Bank, New York	67	48
Blair & Co., New York	12	11
Continental & Commercial National Bank of Chicago	49	27
First National Bank, Chicago	79	29
Illinois Trust & Savings Co. of Chicago	8	6
Lee, Higginson & Co., Boston	11	11
Astor Trust Co., New York	144	63
N. Y. Trust Co., New York	74	47
York City Bank, New York	86	64
Speyer & Co., New York	19	10
Kidder, Peabody & Co., Boston	8	6

WASHINGTON—Domination of \$25,325,000,000 of the nation's wealth by 18 leading financial firms, was the evidence purporting to show actual existence of a money trust presented to the Pujo investigating committee today. J. Pierpont Morgan arrived at the inquiry room shortly before 2 o'clock prepared to take the stand late this afternoon. His counsel accompanied him.

Five firms, the Morgan Company, Guaranty and Bankers Trust Companies, the First National and the National City Bank, were said to have 341 directors in 112 corporations, with aggregate resources of \$22,245,000,000.

The firm of J. P. Morgan & Company was held up as the hub of the alleged combination.

With statistics, charts, tables and compilations, the Pujo committee presented the efforts of 30 expert accountants of the committee.

### Chart Exhibited

An immense chart, six feet long, was exhibited to show the financial ramifications of the leading bankers of New York, Chicago and Boston. It was stated that they represented the actual money control of the country.

How these 18 firms have only 150 members who hold 746 directorships in 134 of the wealthiest corporations of the nation, controlling total resources, or capitalization, of \$25,325,000,000 was evidence offered.

The statistics showed that these 10 men have 385 directorships in 41 banks and trust companies, with aggregate resources of \$3,832,000,000; 50 directorships in 11 insurance companies with assets of

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## ANGELL FOUNTAIN WILL BE USED AND LATER DEDICATED

With the formal dedication waiting until spring in order that the children may take part in the outdoor exercises, the George T. Angell memorial fountain will be informally opened Friday noon with a flag raising, conducted by Dr. Francis H. Rawley.

A bequest of \$100 from Mrs. E. S. Morton of Plymouth and a gift of \$50 from Mrs. John E. Hudson were reported at the monthly meeting of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals at noon today. It has been remembered in the will of Joseph L. Keith of Grafton and Mrs. Adelaide E. Ingraham of Springfield.

The American Humane Education Society has received \$200 from "a co-worker" for the distribution of humane literature. Two hundred and eighty-five Bands of Mercy were organized in November. The total number of bands to date is 85,580.

### SUFFRAGIST IMPRISONED

(By the United Press)  
LONDON—Miss Kitty Marion, a militant suffragist, charged with turning in a false fire alarm, today declared that she preferred imprisonment to paying a fine of \$125. She was sent to jail for one month.

## COOPERATIVE MARKET IS URGED AS AID IN SOLVING LIVING COST PROBLEM

Products of the field and garden will not go to waste, and part of the high-cost-of-living problem will be solved if the cooperative market plan is adopted, according to M. Ernest Moore of Arlington, president of the Market Gardeners' Association, today. The scheme has not been perfected, but once the details are completed an agency which will make it possible for the market gardener to deal directly with the consumer will be established.

Some greenhouse operators say that they are throwing away thousands of heads of lettuce and large quantities of celery. Herbert W. Rawson of Arlington says that last spring he plowed under \$500 worth of cabbage, which there was no means of marketing. Some striking figures were given at a dinner of the Market Gardeners Association last evening to show the discrepancy between what the consumer pays and what the gardener gets. Lettuce is being sold by the greenhouse men at less than a cent a head in many cases. It costs in the market from 8 to 10 cents a head. One grower told of an Arlington marketman who bought lettuce from him at a cent a head and sold it to his customers for 10 cents within less than a mile of where it was grown.

The growers are paid a cent a pound for squash which costs the consumer three cents a pound; they get two cents for cabbages which sell for eight or 10 cents. Guy A. Ham, executive councillor-elect,

referred to the circle which is formed by the high cost of the market gardeners' products reducing the demand, the reduction of demand cutting down the supply of garden truck, and this in turn raising the price. He advised those present to cooperate in marketing their produce.

The dinner was the largest in the history of the Market Gardeners As-

sociation. W. E. Moore, president of the association, presided, and the speakers were State Secretary of Agriculture J. Lewis Ellsworth, Alfred P. Lee, president of the Fruit and Produce Exchange; Everett C. Potter, secretary of the Providence Market Gardeners Association; William H. Bowker and T. F. Lomasney, president of the Mercantile Market Association.

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## FIELD MARSHAL VON DER GOLTZ EXPLAINS DEFEAT OF TURKEY

Analysis by General Who Formerly Built Up Army of Crescent Blames Bad Strategy and Training

### MEN NOT IN SHAPE

Despite Unseasoned Troops He Believes That His Plan of Two Great Entrenched Camps Could Have Won

(Special to the Monitor)  
LONDON—Field Marshal von der Goltz has at last spoken, and in a most interesting and luminous criticism of the war has given, in an article in the Neue Freie Presse, his explanation of the causes of the Turkish defeat.

It is easy to see that the field marshal does not consider that this defeat should have been, and he attributes it fundamentally to bad strategy, and after this to the untrained condition of the Turkish troops. He accepts wholeheartedly the maxim that victory lies in taking the offensive, but he goes on to explain that this offensive must be taken at the correct moment, and that it is as important for a general to be prepared to await his moment as to drive home his blow when he is determined to deliver it.

The plan of campaign he conceived for the Turkish army was that it should take up an entrenched position along the upper reaches of the River Ergene, with its right resting on Sarai and its left on Muradli, at the point where the railway line crosses the river. In advance of this there were to be nothing but columns transposed, with the sole idea of supporting the great fortress of Adrianople in holding up the attack.

### Attack Would Have Failed

Had this plan been adopted, he insists, the force of the Bulgarian attack would have spent itself on this immensely strong position in the same way it ultimately spent itself at Tehtaldja. Here, owing to the railways in their rear, the Turkish troops could have been well cared for and Adrianople would have occupied a large portion of the attacking army, which, if it had not been driving a beaten enemy before it, could never have advanced as quickly as it did.

Meantime, with Adrianople playing the part it has played, and with a

### AT THE THEATERS

**BOSTON**  
BOSTON—Eddie Foy.  
HOLLIS—"Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm."  
KEITH'S—Vaudeville.  
MAJESTIC—"Julius Caesar."  
PARK—"Maggie Pepper."  
PLYMOUTH—"George Arliss in 'Disraeli.'"  
ST. JAMES—"David Harum."  
TREMONT—"The Rainbow."

**CHICAGO**  
BLACKSTONE—"The Argyle Case."  
CORT—"The Yellow Jacket."  
GARRICK—"Patience."  
HOLLAND—"The Eucalyptus."  
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**NEW YORK**  
ASTOR—Douglas Fairbanks.  
BELASCO—Frances Starr.  
CENTURY—"The Daughter of Heaven."  
COMEDY—"Fanny's First Play."  
FULTON—"The Yellow Jacket."  
HOLLAND—"The Yellow Jacket."  
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**BOSTON CONCERTS**  
Thursday—Symphony hall, 8 p. m., first concert Cecilia Society.  
Friday—Symphony hall, 2:30 p. m., ninth public rehearsal Boston Symphony orchestra. Historical Warlike Women.  
Saturday—Symphony hall, 8 p. m., ninth concert Boston Symphony orchestra. Heinrich Warrick, soloist.  
Sunday—Symphony hall, 7:30 p. m., first performance "The Messiah." Handel and Haydn Society.

**BOSTON OPERA HOUSE**  
Wednesday, 8 p. m., production of "Louise."  
Friday, 8 p. m., "Tales of Hoffmann."  
Saturday, 2 p. m., "Lucia"; 8 p. m., "Traviata."

## PART OF TURKEY'S FORCE CONTINUES ALERT



(Copyright by Frank Wade)

Turkish cavalry drawn up on the outskirts of Constantinople ready for an instant advance

strong resistance developed along the Ergene and, if necessary, again on the Tehtaldja, a great field army could have been prepared at Tehtaldja, ready to launch when the troops had gained the morale which is only acquired through fighting. Instead of this the strategy employed took the form of an advance without transport and with unseasoned and untrained troops to Kirk Kilisse, and this was the fundamental strategic mistake which cost the Turks the campaign.

The very caliber of the troops employed in the advance of Kirk Kilisse was sufficient to condemn it. When the field marshal writes, in 1895 he retired from the Turkish service, the troops rather resembled a large police force than an army. Abdul Hamid never tolerated for a moment field training maneuvers, or even musketry instruction or the practice of artillery.

### Strategy Again Failed

In the Macedonian theater exactly the same strategic error was made as in the Thracian. Von der Goltz's plan of campaign contemplated the formation of a great entrenched camp at Ishtip. In spite of this, troops equally untrained with those employed at Kirk Kilisse, were concentrated at Uskub and Kumanovo, and even in more advanced positions. These troops, like the troops in Thracian, could hardly be called more than second-class Redifs. In three years it is only possible to train three annual contingents, and the result was that the fighting line, in many cases did not even know how to use the arms put into their hands.

Had Turkey enjoyed three years of actual peace it might have been possible for the Young Turks to have produced a better army than was the case. Those three years, were not, however, years of peace. So soon as troops were trained to any pitch of efficiency they had to be drafted away to the Yemen or to Albania. The inevitable conclusion was that a succession of recruits was always being sent to the front, who if they ever became seasoned troops, were very largely wasted in the Yemen.

### Revolution Was a Cause

Another contributing cause to the inefficiency of the army was the very fact of the revolution. When the Hamidian officers were thrust out of the ranks good and bad went together, with the result that several able generals, who might have been of service to the Turks, were never employed. The army actually put into the field had, with one exception, the best generals on the active list at its head.

The exception was Mahmud Shevket Pasha, whose services were not in demand owing to the fall of the Young Turk party just before the war broke out. Unfortunately, not only was Mahmud Shevket Pasha not employed, but his policy was reversed, with the result that the Turkish government dismissed from the colors only three weeks before the outbreak of hostilities a whole annual contingent of active service troops,

## LONDON MEETING PLACE CHOSEN BECAUSE NEUTRAL



(Photo specially taken for the Monitor)

Foreign office, where peace delegates gather, as it appears looking across lake from bridge

and in addition to this the mobile Redif division, which the wise foresight of Mahmud Shevket Pasha had kept under arms on the shadowy pretext of resisting a possible Italian landing. To sum up the field marshal's conclusions, the defeat of the Turks must be attributed, first, to bad strategy which advanced their Thracian army corps to Kirk Kilisse and the Macedonian army corps to Kumanovo; secondly, to the fact that their troops, owing to the Hamidian regime and to the constant drain since that time, into Albania and the Yemen, were so untrained that the so-called Nizam, or regular battalions, consisted of only one fifth of trained men, two fifths of Redifs, and two fifths of absolute recruits; and lastly, to the absolute inefficiency of their shooting and organization.

In spite of this he is of opinion that, if the plan laid down by him had been adhered to; if the first resistance had been offered on the upper Ergene, with a retreat if necessary on the Tehtaldja, this resistance would have been so severe that at the time, into Albania and the Yemen, were so untrained that the so-called Nizam, or regular battalions, consisted of only one fifth of trained men, two fifths of Redifs, and two fifths of absolute recruits; and lastly, to the absolute inefficiency of their shooting and organization.

### NEW HAVEN COMMUTERS COMPLAIN

NEW HAVEN—Connecticut commuters along the line of the New Haven railroad have filed a complaint with the interstate commerce commission setting forth that the rates are unreasonable and asking for a reasonable reduction. The initiative has been taken by the Greenwich Board of Trade, Percy Adams appearing in the formal petition. Hugh M. Hewson, a lawyer, of 32 Nassau street, went to Washington Tuesday night to prosecute the complaint.

### GIRL ENTERS POSTOFFICE RACE

DANVERS, Mass.—Miss Josephine Hines is a candidate for the position of postmistress of the Hawthorne postoffice, vacated before the state election by J. W. Nichols, resigned. Almond D. Powers and Charles F. Skillings are also aspirants.

## INFLUENCES AGAINST MILITARISM ATTACKED IN FRENCH CHAMBER

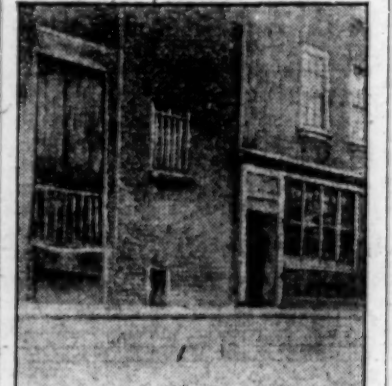
(Special to the Monitor).  
PARIS, France—On the occasion of a discussion on the Lois des Cadres in the Chamber a somewhat animated discussion ensued, as a result of an amendment proposed by M. Bonnefous to the effect that those who refused to perform their military service should not be permitted to vote.

M. Jaures, the Socialist, at once declared that the number of those reported as having deserted or as having refused to perform their military service had been greatly exaggerated. The figures referred to mentioned 2600 as having deserted, between 1904 and 1910, and 12,000 as having failed to perform their military service during the same period. M. Millerand, minister for war, seized the opportunity to denounce in the most emphatic manner the efforts of those who were striving to sow the seeds of anti-militarism in the army and to recommend sabotage in the army and mobilization orders being issued. M. Messimy, who quoted the figures referred to above, declared that when he was minister for war they had been compelled to make plans which would enable them to meet the anti-militarist propaganda and so make mobilization possible if necessary. M. Messimy was strong in his denunciation of such Anarchist societies as the "Sous du Soldat."

## BEHAVIOR OF SERBIAN INFANTRY PRAISED

(Special to the Monitor).  
SALONIKA, Turkey—Many of the military attaches who have followed the Serbian army started under the impression that the Serbs would accomplish no very instructive or attractive feats from a military point of view. The attaches appear, however, to be much struck especially by the infantry of the Serbians, the behavior and endurance of which has been described as magnificent. One division, it appears, marched for 48 hours through water, and was ready to continue at the end. The transport service also is highly spoken of. The bullock transport, although slow, is most efficient, and the amount of work the animals are capable of doing is enormous. A feature of the management of the animals is that they are not permitted to graze, but are fed on fodder carried with them. Also, the bullocks were left in the charge of the reservists to whom they belonged. "It was evident, therefore, that the animals received the best possible treatment."

## MEN OF YOUNGEST REPUBLIC FOUND IN ENGLISH CITY



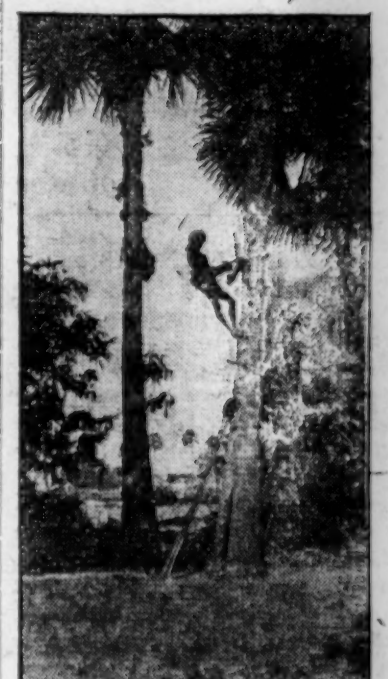
### CHINESE SHOP IN LIVERPOOL

(Special to the Monitor).  
LIVERPOOL, Eng.—A Chinaman arriving in Liverpool is always sure of a welcome by his fellow-countrymen in Liverpool's Chinatown. Here he can accommodate himself and find his native tastes catered for. In this quarter of Liverpool are to be found numerous Chinese shops, sailors' boarding houses, several restaurants, and a Chinese seamen's mission.

### OLEOMARGARINE BILL TIED UP

WASHINGTON—The House committee on agriculture, by a tie vote Tuesday headed off action on the Lever bill for the encouragement of the oleomargarine industry.

## TODDY PALMS IN MADRAS, INDIA, USED BY NATIVES



(Photo taken specially for the Monitor)

### NATIVE TAPPING PALM TREE

(Special to the Monitor).  
BOMBAY—The natives of the Madras Presidency, India, draw a native drink called "toddy" from the toddy palm, and during the process are supported in very much the same manner as an English workman repairing a wire on a telegraph pole. In addition to a strong rope attached to a tree with large steel hooks, however, these natives place bands of straw on their bare feet to prevent them slipping on the trunk of the tree.

### PRINCIPAL TO BE HONORED

SALEM, Mass.—A farewell reception will be tendered tomorrow evening to Principal Joseph A. Ewart of the Phillips-Bentley schools, in Now and Then hall.

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## INMATES OF TEXAS INSTITUTION GET OUT A MAGAZINE

HUNTSVILLE, Tex.—Inmates of the Huntsville prison are publishers of a creditable magazine under the title, The Huntsville Prison Monitor, issued monthly and having the second-class mail privilege.

The current issue is largely devoted to discussion of prison problems, with attention to the reform of methods and the extension of the probation plan to rescue incipient criminals, but it goes beyond these to consider in an editorial way other sociological problems. With these it includes a wide range of general reading in a lighter vein.

The magazine has a general subscription price of \$1 but is sent inmates of prisons everywhere at half that price.

### FOREFATHERS' DAY CELEBRATION

SALEM, Mass.—The Essex Congregational Club will observe Forefathers day on Monday evening, Dec. 23, in the Tabernacle church chapel. The guests of honor will be Rufus D. Adams, mayor of the city, and the Rev. Ambrose W. Vernon, D. D., of Harvard church, Brookline.

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## PRINCETON HOCKEY SEVEN PROMISES TO HAVE FAST LINEUP

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### NEED A NEW GOAL

PRINCETON, N. J.—Princeton's varsity hockey team, under the direction of Captain H. A. H. Baker, is holding daily practice here in preparation for the opening of the intercollegiate season with Williams at St. Nicholas rink, New York city, tomorrow. The team is being coached by Gus Hornebeck and is expected that by tomorrow the general make-up of the present team will be decided on.

At present, Princeton is somewhat handicapped by the absence of Thornton Emmons, a star of the championship season last year, but his return is expected before the holidays and it should greatly boost Princeton's prospects.

Captain Baker, Kuhn and Kilner, with Emmons are the nucleus from last year. Baker is again at rover, and Kuhn and Kilner are at center and right wing respectively. The selection of a goal is still hanging fire with Winants and Carter running ahead and much work will have to be done with these men to have a defender in a class with Kallfleisch, of last year's team. Lee looks like a fixture at point and Bryan and Campbell are playing the steadiest games at coverpoint. Patterson, a substitute last year, is being pushed hard at left wing by McColl, and Cowan has shown excellent form as a substitute for Kilner.

The Princeton schedule as it looks before receiving the ratification of the faculty, is a busy one despite the absence of games with Pennsylvania and Columbia. It is as follows:

Dec. 20, Williams at New York; 26, 27, 28, Cornell at Syracuse.  
Jan. 4, Dartmouth at Boston; 11, Cornell at New York; 13, Yale at New Haven; 15, Yale at New York; 22, Harvard at Boston.  
Feb. 8, Harvard at New York; 11, Yale at New York (in case of a tie); 15, Harvard at New York (in case of a tie).

## American Association Fielding Averages

### INDIVIDUAL FIELDING (FIRST TEN)

Name and club	G	PO	A	E	Pc
J. Delahanty, Minn.	22	109	10	1	.935
J. Jones, Milwaukee	20	101	10	2	.984
Walsh, St. Paul	20	119	5	2	.984
Miller, Columbus	168	1552	108	28	.983
Hunter, Ind.	124	1094	81	31	.983
Ames, St. Paul	157	1324	80	30	.982
Bransfield, Louisville	47	440	28	9	.981
Herrick, Toledo	142	1264	70	24	.980
Gerr, Kansas City	148	1330	111	33	.979
Uggla, Minneapolis	29	256	14	6	.978

### SECOND BASEMEN

Name and club	G	PO	A	E	Pc
Rockaford, K. C.	28	178	78	3	.979
O. Williams, Ind.	146	1023	410	23	.970
J. Williams, Minn.	139	1039	451	27	.967
Garner, Ind.	124	121	59	12	.968
O'Rourke, Columbus	136	113	307	40	.963
Hulsfitt, Col. Lou.	104	270	201	29	.951
O'Leary, Ind.	142	1401	70	32	.951
J. Lewis, St. Paul	72	157	269	19	.951
Red, Louisville	50	91	157	13	.950
McConnell, St. Paul	10	22	35	3	.950

### THIRD BASEMEN

Name and club	G	PO	A	E	Pc
Westcott, Ind.	19	15	46	2	.968
Lennox, Louisville	8	80	155	11	.955
McConick, St. Paul	28	28	49	4	.951
Perrine, Columbus	157	180	301	20	.941
Niles, Toledo	25	22	46	5	.932
Clark, Milwaukee	23	22	36	3	.929
Barbeau, K. C.	135	143	359	32	.926
Goodman, St. Paul	123	123	319	39	.925
Goodman, St. Paul	7	72	124	19	.921

### SHORTSTOPS

Name and club	G	PO	A	E	Pc
McKechnie, St. Paul	41	38	123	12	.940
Blackburn, Minn.	19	23	51	5	.944
Gagner, Ind.	124	121	220	19	.938
Baumiller, Louisville	103	43	109	20	.927
Tannehill, K. C.	44	33	109	20	.927
Gerber, Columbus	106	413	227	30	.925
P. Lewis, Milwaukee	132	328	425	64	.922
Altizer, Minn.	102	348	551	81	.919
O'Leary, Ind.	84	195	278	42	.919
Chapman, Toledo	140	337	439	71	.916

### OUTFIELDERS

Name and club	G	PO	A	E	Pc
Johns, Columbus	45	54	4	1	.990
E. Thomas, St. Paul	16	20	8	1	.989
Ridley, Indianapolis	35	82	5	1	.987
E. Williams, Ind.	35	67	8	1	.987
Burns, Toledo	102	32	25	2	.979
Hallman, Ind. Lou.	48	71	7	2	.975
Niles, Toledo	113	192	9	6	.971
Prake, Kansas City	7	34	4	1	.967
Love, Kansas City	79	165	13	6	.967
F. Dehanty, Minn.	146	245	15	10	.963

### PITCHERS

Name and club	G	IP	W	L	SV	ERA
Rieger, St. Paul	10	6	45	1	1	1.000
Kroh, Louisville	10	1	10	1	1	1.000
Toney, Louisville	20	9	54	1	1	.984
Kimball, Ind. Col.	10	1	10	1	1	.984
Young, Minneapolis	51	33	71	2	1	.977
George, Toledo	18	3	30	1	1	.977
Rhoades, K. C.	19	12	82	3	1	.973
Patterson, Minn.	35	16	92	3	1	.973
Packard, Columbus	43	18	71	3	1	.967
Maddox, Kansas City	11	47	2	1	1	.967

### CATCHERS

Name and club	G	PO	A	E	Pc
McCarthy, Ind.	19	69	20	1	.989
Schall, Milwaukee	80	334	108	7	.983
McKee, Indianapolis	27	88	32	2	.984
Owens, Minneapolis	136	623	170	14	.984
James, Kansas City	91	327	84	7	.983
Ludwig, Louisville	32	119	34	3	.981
Hughes, Milwaukee	81	213	81	7	.980
O'Connor, K. C.	110	426	122	11	.980
Land, Toledo	110	528	135	18	.974
Spencer, Louisville	31	145	30	6	.970

### CLUB FIELDING

Club	G	PO	A	E	Pc
Indianapolis	168	4415	2208	314	.955
Columbus	168	4472	2178	325	.953
Toledo	165	4376	2138	330	.952
Minneapolis	168	4448	2236	344	.951
St. Paul	168	4418	2079	329	.951
Louisville	170	4415	2196	345	.950
Kansas City	168	4424	2210	369	.948
Milwaukee	163	4349	2197	354	.947

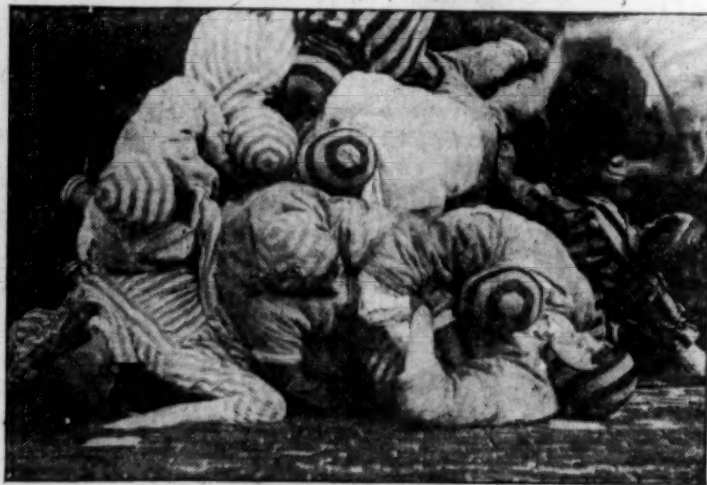
### SULLIVAN TO COACH MINNESOTA

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn.—Dennis Sullivan, former member of the Boston American and American Association teams, has been hired by the athletic board to coach the University of Minnesota's baseball team for the season of 1913, it was announced Tuesday.

### SCHUYLKILL WANTS REGATTA

PHILADELPHIA—The Schuylkill navy board has decided to make application to the National Association of Oarsmen for next year's national regatta to be held on the Schuylkill river.

## PLAYING FAMOUS GAME AT ETON



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The Wall Game—View taken from the top of the wall looking down on the players

(Special to the Monitor)

LONDON—St. Andrew's day at Eton is to the Michaelmas "half" (term) what the fourth of June is to the summer "half," and though the number of visitors to the college is not so large, and the variety of occupation not so great on the former day as on the latter, enthusiasm is perhaps more pronounced in the games of football than in the rowing and cricket which form part of the summer program. The most important feature of St. Andrew's day is the famous wall game, a type of football quite unlike any other game of football. It is a game that it is almost impossible to understand without actually playing it. This falls to the lot of few. If the novice at the game endures his first season in the "bully" without complaining, he will find that gradually, strange as it may seem, a peculiar fascination for the fray comes over him, and thereafter he will rate the wall game as the finest game in the world, and would sooner any institution of the college, however time-honored and

useful, were abandoned, than that the wall game should be abolished.

This season's game between the Collegers and Oppidians proved to be much more one-sided than had been expected. Outside "calx" (otherwise between the two scoring enclosures) the sides were very evenly balanced. But lack of knowledge of the game soon became evident once the Collegers got into "good" calx. Here the latter collected 9 "shies" in 25 minutes. Changing over, the Oppidians reached good calx towards the close, but could not score. Calx play is the hardest and most technical part of the game, and had the Oppidians been better in this department it would have been a very close thing. For one "shy" the Collegers claimed a goal. A splendid throw at the goal was made and the ball struck the door (which serves as a goal) but an Oppidian had touched it first and the umpires after first allowing a goal went back on their decision, surely a thing unknown in any game but the wall game. Collegers have now 26 victories, Oppidians 25, and 21 matches have been "drawn."

## HUESTON WANTS TO PLAY DE ORO

NEW YORK—T. F. Hueston, the former pocket billiard champion, has posted a challenge to meet the winner of the match in which Alfredo De Oro will defend his title against Edward Maturato. In the opinion of Samuel Gruhn, who is backing Hueston in his effort to regain the championship, the young westerner has rehabilitated his game and is playing in far better form than he exhibited when he was defeated by Jerome Keogh. De Oro will meet Maturato probably early in January. Hueston will begin practice about the same time, and efforts will be made to bring off his match against either De Oro or Maturato in this city.

## PLANS FOR CHESS TOURNAMENT

NEW YORK—Cornell, Brown and the University of Pennsylvania, members of the Triangular College Chess League, are making active preparations for the annual championship tournament, which has been scheduled for Dec. 25, 26, 27 and 28 at the rooms of the Brooklyn Chess Club. There is some objection to playing Dec. 25, and this may necessitate a slight change in the program. Cornell favors four-board teams instead of two-board teams, as heretofore, but it is not expected that Brown will agree to this.

## GREAT RECEPTION TO BRICKLEY

One of the greatest receptions ever given a college football player was tendered Charles E. Brickley, '15, famous halfback on the Harvard championship eleven of 1912, by the citizens of Everett at Whittier hall, Tuesday evening. More than 250 citizens attended the banquet and there were some 200 ladies in the galleries. Among the speakers of the evening were: Capt. P. L. Wendell of the Harvard eleven; Graduate Treasurer W. F. Garcelon of the Harvard A. A.; Sidney Curtis of the Harvard Alumni Bulletin; W. J. Rockwood, principal of the Everett high school; J. H. Ston, toastmaster, and C. E. Brickley.

## WEST END HOUSE WALK

The West End House of Boston will hold their sixth annual walk of 15 miles on Dec. 25. Great interest is being shown by entrants, as they are now training. Thus far 100 entrants have been received and fully 50 more are expected. Three large silver cups will be given first three that finish; next seven will receive silver watch fobs and all that finish will get a bronze fob. The three cups are being presented by three of Boston's prominent citizens, including J. J. Storrow, David A. Ellis and Carl Dreyfuss.

## RESIGNATION WILL BE ACCEPTED

COLUMBUS, O.—Announcement was made Tuesday by the Athletic board of Ohio State University that the resignation of Coach John Richards of the football squad, which was presented several days ago, will be accepted. Richards announced that he resigned to accept the position of director of the Chicago public playgrounds.

## COLUMBIA DEFEATS FORDHAM

NEW YORK—Fordham's basketball team was beaten by Columbia Tuesday night on the latter's court by 27 to 7. The first half ended with the score 9 to 4.

## PENN. SWIMMER IS DEBARRED

PHILADELPHIA—The board of managers of the Middle Atlantic Association of the Amateur Athletic Union has decided that L. Frederick Sanville, a member of the swimming team of the University of Pennsylvania, is a professional because he received money during the last summer for coaching the Oaks team of Haverford.

The evidence upon which Sanville was placed in the professional ranks was given by E. L. Amphion and Ellsworth Parsons. Sanville declared the evidence was untrue and that it was hearsay. He also said the charges were caused by jealousy. Sanville announced that he will appeal the decision to the national registration committee of the Amateur Athletic Union.

## FENCING MEETS FOR BOSTON TEAM

Important fencing dates for the season in the New England district are as follows:

Jan. 10, B. A. duelling sword competition. Gold, silver and bronze A. F. L. A. medals.  
Feb. 18, B. A. A. open competition, foil, B. A. A. gold, silver and bronze medals.  
March 22, B. A. A. New England division championships and preliminaries for national championships.

## RICKEY SECRETARY FOR ST. LOUIS

ST. LOUIS—Branch Rickey, former football coach at Ohio Wesleyan University and later member of the New York American's catching staff, has been sold to the St. Louis club, not to play ball, but to act as secretary. Rickey has long been on the suspended list. For the last few years he has been coaching the baseball teams at the University of Michigan and studying law. Hedges having engaged Rickey, as secretary indicates that Lloyd Rickart will leave that position.

## B. A. A. TEAM STRENGTHENED

That the Boston Athletic Association team will have the strongest seven in its history, and this means one of the best amateur teams on the continent, is evidenced by the reinforcement of the squad by the addition of Fred Huntington and Robert Duncan of last year's Harvard varsity team. The addition of Huntington means the bolstering of the defense. He played rover on the Harvard team last year, but he was originally a coverpoint.

## ROBERTSON FOR OUTFIELD

According to Wilbert Robinson, baseball coach of the New York Nationals, there is an excellent chance of George Robertson, the left handed pitcher signed by the Giants a year ago, becoming a great outfielder for McGraw. (He is a fine outfielder and can hit like an old-timer. Robinson says that Robertson will be given a chance to try for the outfield and that he may turn out to be a star.

## NORTHERN TRADED TO MINOR

NEW YORK—Northern, the hard hitting outfielder of the Brooklyn Nationals, has been returned to the minors for the time being, at least. William Dahlen traded him Tuesday for Meyers, the outfielder of the Toronto team of the International league.

## ENGLAND IS ALREADY LOOKING FORWARD TO 1913 YACHT RACING

Several of the Most Famous Yachts Have Changed Hands, While New Ones Are Being Built

### THE CHIEF DATES

(Special to the Monitor)

LONDON—Despite the fact that yacht racing will be out of the question for the next few months, considerable activity is being displayed in preparation for the 1913 season, which will open in the second half of the month of May; that is, what are usually termed the first class fixtures will commence about that time.

The chief item during the last two seasons has been the international regatta held in 1911 at Spithead, and in 1912 at Kiel. This year Havre is to be the scene of the important fixture, and the dates assigned to it are July 25 and 26. This will not clash with any other large home or foreign regatta, and will also be a full week before Cowes, so that a thoroughly representative and international fleet of yachts should assemble at the French port.

Several famous yachts have recently changed hands and a few new ones are being built. Among the schooners the splendid Hershoff boat Waterwitch has been bought by a German owner, and will compete against the new Nicholson schooner Waterwitch II, also the German Emperor's Meteor and Herr Krupp von Bohlen's Germania. The two old 32-meter rivals, Shamrock and White Heather will not race in 1913, and they will undoubtedly be much missed.

Of the 19-meter class which has of late attracted so much attention, the Octavia, owned by W. P. Burton, has been sold to a German yachtsman, and will leave these shores early in the new year for Kiel. In addition to this the Baltic will possess at least two more 19-meter yachts. These will be owned by Herr von Stumm and Herr von Waldhausen, and will be built at Hamburg and Rostock, respectively. Unless any new ones are built there will be six boats in the 19-meter class, and racing should be very keen. Three of these will be owned in Germany, and the three yachts, Norada, Mariquita and Corona, built in 1910, will represent England.

In the 15-meter class several changes will be noticed. For instance the famous Fife yacht Vanity, formerly owned by Hamilton and Payne, has been sold to a Russian yachtsman, J. W. Cook, and W. B. Stamp have also sold their 15-meter Mariska to a Gothenburg owner, whilst Mr. Stamp is building a new boat of the same measurement. Mariska will be seen in the Baltic regattas, and should give a good account of herself.

On Nov. 16 a new association was formed, calculated to promote the interests of racing in small yachts and boats, exclusive of the international classes. The association is called the Boat Racing Association, and one of its chief objects will be to frame a rating rule which will enable many types of existing boats to compete together in the same race. An organizing committee is preparing a report to be laid before a general meeting before the close of the year. Some of the chief fixtures for 1913 are:

May 24, Essex Yacht Club, 15 meters; 31, Royal Thames Yacht Club (Nore to Dover).  
June 2, Royal Cinque Ports Yacht Club; 6, Royal Corinthian Yacht Club, 15 meters; 21, 24, Royal Irish Yacht Club, Kings-ton.  
July 3-14, Clyde fortnight; 20-24, racing for all international classes at Havre; 25, 26, third international regatta at Havre.  
Aug. 4, Royal London Yacht Club, Cowes; 5, 8, Royal Yacht Squadron, Cowes; 20, Plymouth royal regatta; 25, 26, Torbay royal regatta.

## NEW METHOD FOR RATING PITCHERS

CHICAGO—There will be no record of the number of games won and lost by American league pitchers in the 1913 official averages compiled by President R. B. Johnson. This was the statement made by the head of the junior baseball organization Tuesday night.

President Johnson said that he was opposed to the present method of rating pitchers and declared that the "won and lost" column will not be in the next group of pitching figures sent out from his office. He intends to rate them according to the number of hits they yield per inning or according to the number of runs that are earned by them.

The details of the proposed rating have not been worked out, but President Johnson says that he is through with the present method for all time. He hoped to have the proposition ready by the time the first groups of official scores are received next April.

## MILLER TO LEAD PENN STATE

STATE COLLEGE, Pa.—Penn State football players who earned their "S" in the season just closed have unanimously chosen as their captain for the season of 1913 Quarterback Eugene E. Miller. Miller handles his team with great coolness, is perfectly sure in handling the ball under all conditions, and is a phenomenal broken-field runner.

## CANDIDATES FOR TRACK TEAM OUT FOR FIRST WORK

MEDFORD, Mass.—Prospects of turning out a strong track team at Tufts College next year appear very bright today following the reporting of about 40 candidates to Coach J. A. MacDonald in response to the first call issued by Captain Atwater.

Eleven more candidates have been added to the relay squad—Robbins, Archibald, Turner, Merrihue, Flint, Fox, Holland, Upton, Aldrich, Allen and Hewitt.

Among those who will begin training after the holidays for the distance runs are Captain Atwater, Barron, Swan, Upton, Jones and Ferguson.

The following will try the 100, 220 and 440 yard dashes: McLellan, Cosgrove, Mansfield, Strecker, Whipple, Swenson, McJanet and Sterling.

The weight men are Thorndike, Houston, Sherburne, Babcock and Phillips. Rorty, Holland, Teele, Archibald, Aldrich and Mansfield will run in the hurdles, while Danver and Stafford will be prominent in the jumps and the pole vault.

## HARVARD MEETS TECH TONIGHT

Hockey enthusiasts favor the Harvard seven in its game with the Institute of Technology team at the Boston arena tonight and their predictions have been given added weight by the fact that Capt. Harry Gardner of the crimson team will be seen in the play tonight for the first time this season.

The Tech team is set on winning tonight's match, however, naturally because their opponents will be Harvard men and also because they want to continue their string of victories. They have a very strong team and during the past two weeks have practised consistently and often in preparation for the contest tonight. The teams will line up as follows:

HARVARD	TECHNOLOGY
Morgan, r.w.	L.W. Storke
Phillips, r.c.	L.C. Foote
Sortwell, l.c.	F.C. Hurlbut
Honkley, l.w.	F.W. Fletcher
Claffin, c.p.	C.P. Stuckert
Brown, p.	P. Elchorn
Gardner, g.	G. Rainey

## J. TINKER WANTS BROWN AND KLING

CHICAGO—Mordecai Brown and John G. Kling, the former star battery of the Chicago Nationals, are wanted as teammates on the Cincinnati nine next season. Joseph Tinker, who left Tuesday night for the Queen City to sign his contract as manager of the Cincinnati team, said he would be willing to sign both Brown and Kling if they were willing to play under his direction and at the salaries he can afford to offer.

"I do not know whether Brown or Kling would play for me," said Tinker. "I have not approached either, but I surely would be glad to have them. Kling would be a great man behind the plate for the pitchers, but I rather believe he is through with the game, as he has business in Kansas City. Brown is not through as a pitcher, and I know he would aid me if I had him



## ROGER WILLIAMS, PROLIFIC WRITER

His Rare Vision Shown in Books Replying to Bay Colony Leaders After Banishment Quoted in Early Literature Series

Roger Williams' earnest work among the Indians, which antedated that of John Eliot, his published books regarding and in reply to utterances of theologians and others of the Bay colony after his banishment, and his enunciation, a century and a half in advance, of what became the fundamentals of the American nation, are touched on in the accompanying paper on the Connecticut and Rhode Island group, in the plantation period, in the series on early American literature.

ROGER WILLIAMS was one of the very few early settlers of New England who seem to have remembered that the avowed purpose of the colonists when, in England, they prayed for a charter, was the conversion of the Indians.

The Bay colony placed the figure of an Indian upon its seal, with the words, "Come over and help us" proceeding from his mouth; and then, took up their ecclesiastical and commercial concerns and practically forgot the missionary aspect of the project. Eliot, Shepard, and Gorton, were shining exceptions, but 13 years before Eliot began his work, Williams was visiting the Indians in their wigwams, learning their "barbarous" speech and imparting to them the word of God from his Bible.

## Williams Helped Indians

His "Key to the Indian Language" (London, 1643) was the fruit of this study and association. In the preface he says:

"I drew the Materials in a rude lump at Sea as a private help to my own memory, that I might not by my present absence lightly lose what I had so dearly bought in some few years hardship and charges among Barbarians. . . . I resolved (by the assistance of the Most High) to cast those Materials into this Key. . . . A little Key may open a Box where lies a bunch of Keys. . . . With this I have entered into the secrets of those Countries where ever English dwell about two hundred miles, between the French and Dutch Plantations. . . . It is expected that having had so much converse with these Natives, I should write some little of them. . . . I shall touch upon four Heads:

"First, by what Names they are distinguished.  
"Secondly, Their Origin and Descent.  
"Thirdly, the Religion, Manners, Customs, &c.  
"Fourthly, That great Pointe of their Conversion."

The "Key" is not a grammar; it is more like a word book. The Indian words and phrases are placed in parallel columns with their English equivalents, accompanied by explanations and comments. What the title page calls spiritual observations occur at intervals. These are sometimes in verse, and one on the subject of "Travel" is evidently reminiscent.

God makes a path, provides a Guide  
And feeds in Wilderness;  
His glorious Name, while breath remains  
O that I may confess.

Lost many a time I have had no guide,  
No House but hollow tree;  
In stormy winter night, no fire,  
No Food, no Company.

In Him I have found a House, a Bed,  
A Table, Company;  
No cup so bitter, but's made sweet  
When God shall Sweetening be.

Again in a chapter giving words for the heavens, and the heavenly bodies, he writes:

When guns do rise the stars do set  
Yet there's no need of light,  
God shines a sunne most glorious  
When creatures all are night.

The very Indian boys can give  
To many stars their name,  
And know their course and therein doe,  
Excel the English tale. (!)

English and Indians none enquire  
Whose hand these candles hold  
Who gives these stars their names, Him-  
self.

More bright ten thousand fold.  
This very interesting little book is now exceedingly rare and is much sought after by collectors.

## Government Basis Stated

The next year saw in print a book called "Mr. Cotton's Letter . . . Answered," being a reply to a pamphlet published by John Cotton, vindicating the government of the Bay colony for its banishment of Williams, and maintaining the right of the magistracy to punish for religious opinion. That year, also, he published his famous work, "The Bloudy Tenent," meaning the tenet of the righteousness of persecution for conscience's sake. Its intellectual resoluteness and high literary quality surprise the unprepared reader.

It advocates a complete separation between church and state. More than this, he here enunciates, a century and a half before the founding of the republic of the United States of America, the basis upon which it was reared. These are his words:

"Whereas they say that the civil power may erect and establish what forme of civil Government may seem in wisdom most meete, I acknowledge the proposition to be true, both in itself and also considered with the end of it, that a civil government is an ordinance of God to conserve the civil peace of people, so far as concerns their bodies and Goods, as formerly hath beene said. . . . And if so that a People may erect and establish what forme of Government seems to them most meete for their civil

condition: it is evident that such governments as are by them erected and established, have no more power, nor for no longer time than the civil power or people consenting shall be trust them with."

The first part of the book is the reply to an attack of Cotton's upon a powerful treatise, written by a Baptist non-conformist while in Newgate for his opinions, against imprisonment for religious dissent. A curious circumstance in regard to this Newgate book was, that it had been written in milk brought for the man's food, and on paper with which the bottles had been stopped, such writing, as is well known, only becoming legible when the paper is subjected to heat.

Nothing against the peace and good conduct of society is to be found in Williams' book, the civil order was in no wise to be subverted or to suffer intrusion. But it asserted absolutely the right of every man to worship God according to his own conscience or not to worship at all, if so he deemed right.

"A permission," he says, "of the most Paganism, Turkish, and Anti-Christian consciences and worship should be granted to all men, in all nations and countries."

The second part of the book is in the form of a dialogue between "Truth" and "Peace," personified. It opens:

"Truth—In what dark corner of the world, sweet Peace, are we two met? How hath this present evil world banished me from all the coasts and quarters of it? And how hath the righteous God in Judgment thence thee from the earth?" Rev. VI. 4.

"Peace—It is lamentably true, blessed Truth, the foundations of the world have long been of course, the gates of earth and hell have conspired together to intercept our joyful meeting and our holy kisses! With what a wearied wing have I flown over nations, kingdoms, cities, towns, to find out precious Truth."

"Truth—The like inquiries in my flights and travels have I made for Peace, and still am told she hath left the earth and fled to heaven."

The conference ranges over the whole subject of persecution and ends with this declaration by "Truth":

"The God of peace, the God of truth shall shortly seal this truth, and confirm this witness, and make it evident to the whole world,—that the doctrine of persecution for the cause of conscience is most evidently and lamentably contrary to the doctrine of Christ Jesus, the Prince of Peace. Amen."

## Protested to Parliament

Next following was a pamphlet called "Queries of High Consideration," addressed to both houses of Parliament. It was a vigorous protest against everything that savored of coercion in the name of religion, the "last distillation," indeed, of the doctrine of toleration.

Having thus valiantly battled in his native land for the principle of religious freedom, he returned to the little colony where it was being wrought into practice, and to the sheaf of arrows upon its seal, and the motto "Amor Vincit Omnia," added the word "Hope."

The little pamphlet called "Christening Make Not Christians," a protest against baptizing Indians before they had imbibed the truth, was published after he left England. This is one of the rarest of his works, the only copy known to be extant lying unatalogued for many years (until 1881) in the British Museum, being bound up with other pamphlets. It has since been published among the Rhode Island Historical Tracts.

In 1632 Williams was again in England, his literary expression this time consisted first in a rejoinder to Cotton's reply to "The Bloudy Tenent." Cotton had called his book, "The Bloudy Tenent Washed White. . . . In the Bloud of the Lamb," and Williams' rejoinder was called "The Bloudy Tenent made yet more Bloudy through Mr. Cotton's Attempt to Wash it White." This, happily, was the last change rung upon that particular title. Williams' book has three dedications, the first, to Parliament, contains this paragraph:

"It hath pleased Master Cotton (a man incomparably too worthy for such a service) to attempt the washing of this bloudy Tenent, (as hee speaks) . . ."

## High Court Addressed

The second dedication is to the "Several Respective General Courts especially that of the Massachusetts in N. England," and opens:

"Honored and beloved Friends and Countrymen.  
Elsewhere he addresses this court which had banished him:

"O ye the Cream and Flower of English Plantations in America."

The only references to his peculiar position in the eyes of these brethren are that once he expresses an apprehension that they may be prejudiced against "ought of mine presented to you," and again, when he signs himself, "Your so long despised Outcast." He says to them of his book: "It is a second Conference of Peace and Truth, an Examination of the worthily honored and beloved Mr. Cotton's reply." The third dedication is to "The Merciful and Compassionate Reader."

Coming to the text itself, "Peace and Truth" are found exchanging salutations preparatory to carrying on their conference:

"Truth—Blest be the God of truth and peace (sweet Peace) that once againe we find a corner and a few hours to entertaine our sweet embraces and discussions about that Bloudy Tenent,

of Persecution for cause of conscience. "Peace—It is indeed Jehovah's work, and it is marvelous in our eyes, that midst this world's combustions such a corner and such hours are found."

"Truth—Dear friends the longer absent, meet the sweeter, and have cause to spend each minute to his praise who wonders works, and this not the least that we two see each other's face at all in these tempestuous days and vale of tears."

## Attitude Ideal Today

Clear reasoning, sound logic, and high devotion to a Christly ideal combine in the book into an argument that nowadays is unassailable. The animus of this whole discussion was admirable on both sides, but Cotton maintained throughout that curious casuistry of the New England theocracy, that when a man was punished for his theological opinions, it was not persecution for conscience, but just penalty for sinning against a conscience that by due argument had been convicted of error.

A book called "The Hiring Ministry None of Christ's," published also in 1632, protests against legal or compulsory provision for ministers, but not, as is often alleged, against their support by those who desired their services.

Side by side with this pamphlet came out the book written for his wife, a little treatise on practical religion.

"My dear Love," he writes, "since it pleaseth the Lord so to dispose of me and of my affairs at present that I cannot often see thee, I desire often to send to thee. . . . Thy holy and humble desires are strong, but I know thy writing is slow, and that thou wilt gladly accept of this poor help, which with humble thankfulness and praise to the Lord, I humbly tender to thy holy service, and thine in him."

"I send thee (though in Winter) an handful of flowers made up in a little Posy, for thy dear selfe, and our dear children, to look and smell on."

## Last Book Controversial

Nearly a quarter of a century later Williams' last book was published, in Boston, "George Fox Dipped out of His Burrows" was its title, being a report of the debate held at Newport and Providence. Its title prefigures only too well the general character of its contents, and except for a certain amusement that much of it inspires, as the serious folly of a bygone day, it is unpleasant reading.

Fox replied, in a book bearing an equally uncomplimentary title—"A New England Firebrand Quenched." So they ceased. The best founded accusation brought by either of them, and this was mutually employed, was that of "going about to make a noise," and this they both abundantly did.

Besides his printed books, Williams prepared for publication a number of sermons, which were all destroyed in King Philip's war. His letters, however, remain, making a delightful volume, and in them the man himself is revealed for honorable and affectionate remembrance. Masson says: "The Americans do well to be proud of Roger Williams."

## EDITORIAL COMMENTS

PROVIDENCE JOURNAL—One point bearing on the New Haven's control of the Rhode Island company

Some New Haven Obligations

The Bell and Its Fate

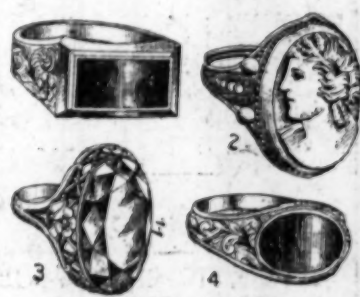
PITTSBURGH GAZETTE-TIMES—There may be good and sufficient reasons why the Liberty Bell should not be removed temporarily from Independence Hall, Philadelphia, for exhibition in the Pennsylvania state building at San Francisco during the Panama-Pacific international exposition in 1915, but liability of injury to or destruction of that relic of patriotism is not of them.

It might just as well be pleaded that human beings should not venture upon the high seas or the railroads for the purpose of attending the exposition. There is in this phase of opposition to granting the petition of 50,000 Pacific coast signers asking for the bell an assumption that the venerated proclaimer of freedom to the American people has been proscribed through all the years of its existence wholly by man's safeguarding and solicitude. Unless it be practically confessed that there is no higher intelligence which takes account of instruments, institutions and individuals, there is in this theory a singular lack of faith.

On the other hand, it is broadly asserted by Philadelphia historians and patriots that the bell is "sacred." That is a quality which cannot be conferred upon it by man alone, nor by any service the bell has rendered, but implies a commodity justly regarded as "sacred"—then logically the California people may urge that it would be as safe in transit to and fro, or while on exhibition thousands of miles distant from the shrine of independence, as in the neglected, improperly protected and combustible old building in which it has been housed so long. It is a common boast that ours is "God's country." Men of the most profound

MINNEAPOLIS JOURNAL—Attorney-General Wickersham will no doubt be attacked for opposing the amendment of the Sherman law so as to particularize offenses under it. Although the attorney-general has accomplished more in the way of civil suits under the Sherman law than all former attorneys-general combined, he has not won the confidence of the radical progressives. Hence it may be assumed that they will see in

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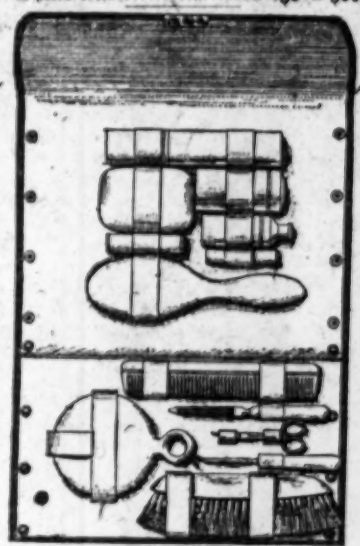
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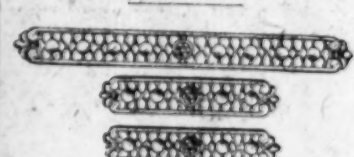
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Three-piece Collar Set, 14-Kt. gold mounting of open work filigree pattern set with cut sapphire and whole pearls. Safety clasp on each pin. Price for set, \$16. Sold separately. Long Pin, \$7. Short Pins, \$4.50 each. Other Collar Pin Sets, \$8 to \$35.

## 14-Kt. Gold Coat Chains

No. 1—Good weight, long and short link chain with beautiful plain button, engine-turned edge. Place for engraving. Price \$7.

No. 2—Colonial Links, button has pierced design, engine-turned, with dots in plain centre for engraving. Price \$9.

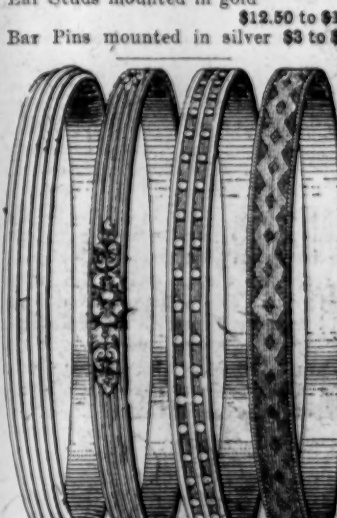
Other 14-kt. Gold Coat Chains \$5 to \$15. Platinum and Gold Chains \$15 to \$40.

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## 'Abalone Pearl Jewelry

We make a specialty of the famous Abalone Jewelry. Abalone Pearls reflect the iridescent colors of a California sunset combined with the ever-changing greens of the Pacific Ocean.

Scarf Pins in gold.....\$4 to \$30  
In silver.....\$1 to \$4  
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In silver.....\$2 to \$5  
Brooches in gold.....\$5 to \$12  
In silver.....\$3 to \$12  
Necklaces in gold.....\$30 to \$40  
Pendants in gold.....\$9 to \$30  
In silver.....\$3 to \$14  
Ear Studs mounted in gold.....\$12.50 to \$15  
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## 14-Kt. Gold Bangles

The Bangles illustrated are particularly good value for.....\$10 EACH

No. 1—Very heavy ribbed pattern, plain English finish. Price.....\$10

No. 2—Heavy, square edge, striped engine turning with beautiful hand-engraving, English finish. Price.....\$10

No. 3—Heavy, square edge, striped engine turning, with dots. English finish. Price.....\$10

No. 4—Heavy, square edge, well-covered, engine turned design, English finish. Price.....\$10

Many others in Engraved or Openwork Design. Some are set with Amethysts, Topaz, Sapphires, Pearls, Diamonds, etc. Prices range from \$5 to \$300 and upwards.

Mail Orders Promptly Executed

## AT RAILROAD TERMINALS

The Boston & Maine road will furnish a first class special train from North station at 6.30 o'clock this evening for the accommodation of the Boston Symphony orchestra en route to Lawrence, and return, leaving at 10.30 p. m.

Traveling Conductor William H. Brown of the Boston & Albany road is personally looking after equipment and details covering movement West of Wellesley students today, which requires four special Pullman trains.

The construction department terminal division of the Boston & Maine road has a derrick car and crew at work erecting telegraph poles for the Western Union Telegraph Company along the grade crossing work at Medford street, Somerville.

The New Haven road carried the St. Marks and Fay students from Southboro to New York city this morning by special parlor car train.

Smith College students occupying a special Boston & Maine railway parlor car train are scheduled to arrive at North station from Northampton at 6 o'clock this evening.

The New Haven road placed a special express car train in service today for the Adams Express Company for the purpose of covering South shore and Cape Cod districts daily, until Christmas.

The mechanical department of the Fitchburg division, Boston & Maine road,

## Choice Gifts

Every Variety.....\$1.00 to \$10  
BRASS GOODS  
Desk Sets, \$2.50 to \$50, and Individual Pieces, 25c upward.

Paper Knives, Stamp Boxes, Inkstands, Calendars, etc.

LEATHER GOODS  
Bags, Pocketbooks, Purse and Bill Books.....\$2.50 to \$12

GREETING CARDS.....5c and upwards  
CALENDARS and DIARIES.....10c to \$2.00  
FANCY BOXES STATIONERY, 25c to \$5.00  
BABIES' BOOKS, DOINGS, SAYINGS, Etc.....50c to \$3.00

SCHOOLERS' COMPANIONS  
In Fancy Boxes.....25c to \$1.00  
WARD'S "A LINE A DAY" BOOKS,  
the unique 3-year diary.....50c to \$2.00

EXPENSE BOOKS, 75c to \$2.50  
ADDRESS BOOKS, 40c to \$3.00  
PHOTO and POSTCARD ALBUMS.....5c to \$5.00

WARD'S Samuel Ward Co. STATIONERS  
87-89 Franklin St. BOSTON

is raising the roof of the Charlestown roundhouse to be in readiness for new power expected soon.

The New Haven and Boston & Albany roads carried the Yale Glee, Banjo and Mandolin Club this noon by a special train consisting of baggage car, sleeper and private car "Grassmere," en route from New Haven to Cleveland, O.

The Boston & Maine road will furnish a seven-car special train at Exeter, N. H., this afternoon for Phillips Exeter students en route West and Southwest, via Boston.

RAISE IN PAY VOLUNTARY  
FT. WORTH, Tex.—A new scale is now in use by the Northern Texas Traction Company, affecting about 600 men and making an increase of over \$18,000 in the payroll of the year. It was a voluntary raise on the part of the directors of the company of 1c per hour.

TEACHERS FRAME A PENSION BILL  
"An Act to Provide a Retirement Allowance for Certain Teachers in the Public Schools" is being drafted by the legislative committee of the Massachusetts Teachers Association to be introduced into the Legislature in 1913. It provides for a contributory pension, one half to be paid by the state and one half by the teachers, and is designed to provide for teachers who are not pensioned by the towns or cities. It provides for tenure of office and for a court of appeal for teachers who may consider themselves unjustly treated by school boards.

Gifts for Christmas

MATCH BOX \$28.00  
14K. GOLD, EXQUISITELY HAND ENGRAVED, AS ILLUSTRATED, REDUCED FROM \$20.00  
Others as low as \$15.00

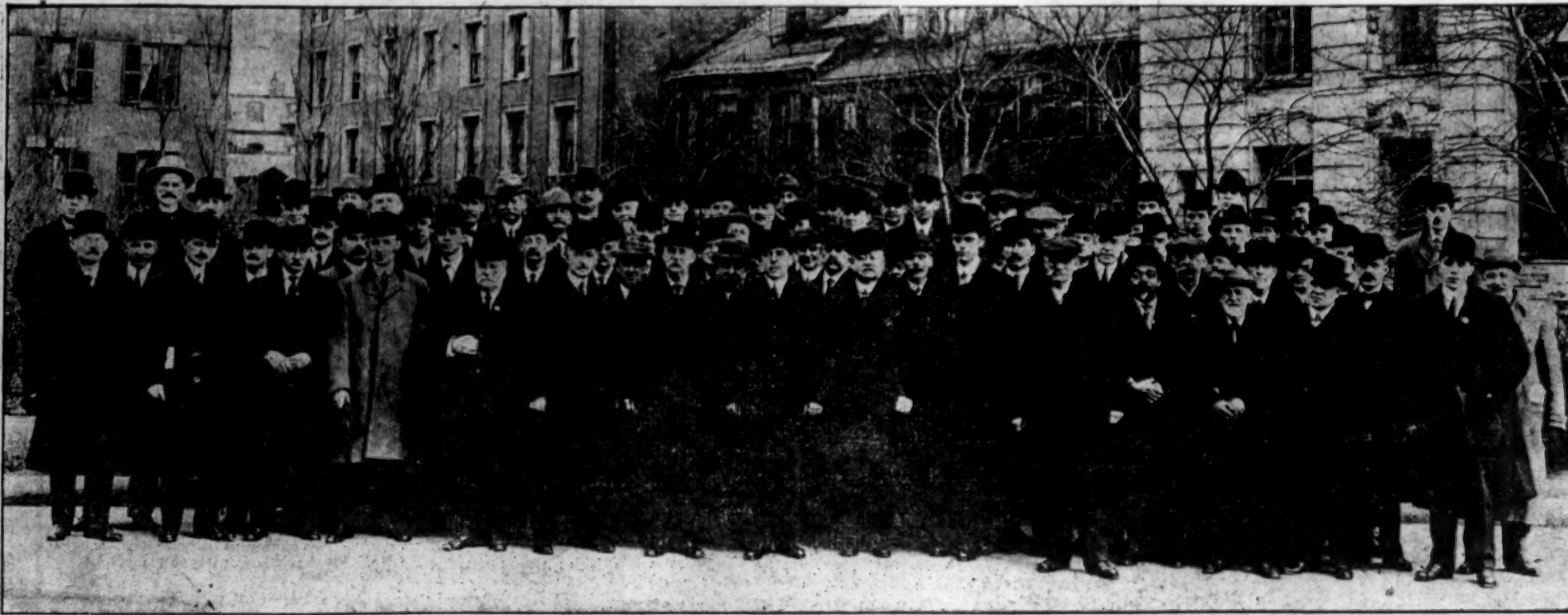
GIFTS FOR MEN IN SOLID GOLD  
Studs and Buttons, Scarf Pins and Clips, Rings, Cuff Links, Watch Chains and Fobs, Pocket Knives and Cigar Cutters.

\$1.50 to \$50.00  
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## SEALERS IN BOSTON DIRECT EFFORTS TOWARD IMPROVING LAWS



Left to right, front row: F. E. Marsh, Ware; G. L. Day, Salem; John J. Currier, Gloucester; T. J. Howe, Boston; Alexander Knox, Everett; A. S. K. Clark, Cambridge, secretary and treasurer; J. H. Dussault, Somerville, second vice-president; Daniel C. Palmer, Boston, state sealer of weights and measures and president of the association; Charles B. Woolley, city sealer of Boston, first vice-president; Hugh H. Henry, Vermont commissioner of weights and measures; F. W. Parker, Reading; E. T. Morris, Cambridge; Samuel S. Bumpus, Fairhaven; John J. Myer, Boston; Hugh H. Healey, Cambridge.

## STANDARD BARRELS, BUREAU STAMP AND BASKETS INDORSED

Indorsement to three measures, one a bill for a standard sized barrel, another for a standard berry basket and a third delegating to the bureau of standards authority to approve of weighing devices, was given by the sealers of weights and measures who are meeting for their second session of the annual convention in Kingsley hall, Ford building, today.

The association voted unanimously to direct its legislative committee to oppose any bill which might come before the Legislature this incoming session seeking to include seeds under the law exempting them from being sold by the pound. This came up in the form of a letter sent to Daniel C. Palmer, the state sealer, and placed before the association. It was sent by counsel for the seed houses in this state and sought to have seeds sold by measure instead of by weight.

W. W. Goodwin, state sealer of weights and measures of Rhode Island, and Joseph V. Brogan of Lawrence were the speakers at the morning session, which closed shortly before noon.

Prior to the morning session the sealers inspected the various measures, weights, weighing scales and devices for general commodities and automatic measuring receptacles for gasoline and kerosene placed on exhibition by the manufacturers.

Much interest was manifested also in details of preparation for the parcel post, which is to go into operation two weeks from today, carried on rapidly by the division of weights and measures of the United States at Washington, as related by L. A. Fischer, chief of that department, who has just come to Boston from an inspection of 200 computing scales at Toledo, O.

The computing scales will be used for the first time by the postoffice department, and it is expected that they will make a considerable saving in time and labor, one man doing the work of two or three.

Mr. Fischer is superintending the inspection of 30,000 spring scales for the postoffice department in connection with the parcel post, 20,000 at the factories in Chicago and 5000 each at St. Johnsbury, Vt., and Binghamton, N. Y.

With the \$25,000 recently allowed by the House and to be available July 1, 1913, Mr. Fischer says that his division is planning to construct a special test car which will consist of a 60,000-pound standard scale on wheels. This car will be used to make an investigation of the condition of the scales in use on the railroads, and will supplement the work that the interstate commerce commission now has in hand of hearing complaints from shippers on the subject. Test platform scales will likewise be included in the equipment of the car, and will be movable that they may be of use to shippers.

Charges that tanners have been giving short measure on many consignments of leather were made in a speech delivered yesterday by Charles P. Murray of Lynn. He declared the present laws inadequate and recommended that a new and drastic law be passed to cover the situation.

Hugh H. Henry, commissioner of weights and measures, of Vermont, told of his efforts in his state, saying that one of the most vexing matters was butter.

John P. Buckley, commissioner of weights and measures, of Maine, told of cases where 50 pounds of potatoes were sold as a bushel, and 14 ounces of butter as a pound.

The dinner at the Revere House was well attended last night. Daniel C. Palmer was yesterday re-elected president of the state sealers' association.

W. J. WRIGHT PASSES AWAY

William J. Wright, grandson of John S. Wright, founder of the cotton commission house of Bliss, Fabyan & Co., passed away yesterday at his home, 326 Dartmouth street.

## BRIGHT FUTURE FOR TECH SEEN BY ITS PRESIDENT

President Richard C. MacLaurin predicted a bright future for Technology in his speech before the Merchants Club, which held its "Technology night" at the Algonquin Club house on Commonwealth avenue last night.

"The institute," he said, "has never had any serious doubt as to what it was trying to do, and no very great doubt as to the proper means of reaching the end. Its main governing ideas have been rigid discipline, hard work, laboratory methods and sticking closely to practice, always, however, with great emphasis on the importance of breadth of training."

"The problems that lie before the institute are simple and easily explained. Most important by far, so far as immediate purposes are concerned, is the problem of rebuilding on the new site over in Cambridge. The problem there is capable of solution. The danger is merely the danger of exchanging old lamps for new ones, and possibly of losing something in the process of exchange."

"One of the most interesting and subsidiary problems is the proper relation between the institute and Harvard University. There is no question whatever, it seems to me, that the closest possible cooperation between these two institutions would be good for both and good for the community in which they are placed. And I hope that the difficulties, small and great, in the way of that cooperation will be removed. I believe they will."

## NEWS BRIEFS

**ROADS CHARGED WITH REBATING**  
CHICAGO—John Carstensen, vice-president of the New York Central lines and three subsidiary railroads of the system, were indicted by the federal grand jury Tuesday, charged with having given rebates to the O'Garra Coal Company, amounting to \$80,000. The Lake Shore & Michigan Southern, the Big Four and the Chicago, Indiana & Southern railroads are also named in the bill.

**BUREAU OF ELECTIONS FAVORED**  
SACRAMENTO, Cal.—Secretary of State Jordan appeared recently before the state board of control and Controller Nye and reported that \$197,310 will suffice to maintain his department for the next biennial period, but proposed the board recommended an additional appropriation of \$8700 for the creation and maintenance of a bureau of elections.

**SPANISH COMMISSIONER COMES**  
NEW YORK—Don Juan Riano, minister plenipotentiary of Spain, is here to meet the Marquis de la Vega-Inclan, who reached New York Tuesday night from Europe. The marquis is to visit San Francisco and to confer with the authorities there concerning the participation of Spain in the Panama-Pacific international exhibition.

**REBELS DESTROY BRIDGES**  
EL PASO, Tex.—With a commandeered locomotive a gang of rebels ventured Tuesday within 30 miles of Juarez and burned more railroad bridges.

**MAURETANIA HAS BIG MAIL**  
NEW YORK—The Cunarder Mauretania sailed for Liverpool Tuesday with the largest mail ever sent across the Atlantic from the United States. She also carried what was probably a record number of passengers for this season of the year. Among the passengers were Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Gwynne Vanderbilt and Sir Herbert Beerbohm Tree, who said that he would be back next fall with his London company for a series of Shakespearean revivals.

**MAINE DESIGN ACCEPTED**  
WASHINGTON—A design for a monument to be erected in Havana to the memory of the sailors of the battleship Maine has been accepted by the government of Cuba. Congress will be asked to appropriate \$20,000 to pay for the monument. The base will be formed by one of the after turrets of the Maine, with guns in place.

## INTEREST IN AGRICULTURE SHOWN BY GREAT INCREASE IN DEMAND FOR BULLETINS

WASHINGTON—Some idea may be had of the wonderful growth of interest in agriculture in the United States from a glance at the figures contained in the annual report of the official who has charge of the distribution of the almost innumerable publications issued by the department of agriculture in this city. It is now 23 years since the first of the farmers' bulletins were issued. The growth was very slow for a number of years, but today the bulletins cover more than 500 different subjects, and almost 100,000,000 of them have been issued all told. The distribution is now going on at the rate of about 10,500,000 a year. In 1890 the distribution covered 340,000 of the bulletins. By 1895 the number had increased to 1,567,000, by 1900 to 2,360,000, by 1905 to 5,925,000, by 1910 to 9,337,500 and by 1912 to 10,409,000. The circulation of 1912 would have been 500,000 greater than it is but for the fact that the funds at the disposal of the department would not permit of the printing of a larger number. The cost of issuing the bulletins for the present year was \$122,753.33.

With the present annual appropriation it is impossible to allow each senator and representative 12,500 of each bulletin printed, but that number is no longer large enough to cover the requests which are made. In addition to the distribution by members of Congress, the secretary of agriculture distributes many thousands of bulletins, but the annual report says that the secretary is now unable to satisfy even one half of the

requests which come to him and is compelled to turn them over to members of Congress.

On the question of the appropriation for the ensuing fiscal year, the report says: "It is obviously desirable that the congressional and the departmental allotments be increased and it should be borne in mind that the appropriation for the printing of farmers' bulletins has not been increased for five years, during which time the popular demand for them has more than doubled. . . . There is now a large demand from schools in which agriculture is being taught and from corn clubs and associations of various other kinds, which was not originally contemplated and which can not be supplied without an increase in the printing fund."

It is noted that the use of the department's publications by schools of all grades as well as by universities continues to increase, the demand being far in excess of the supply.

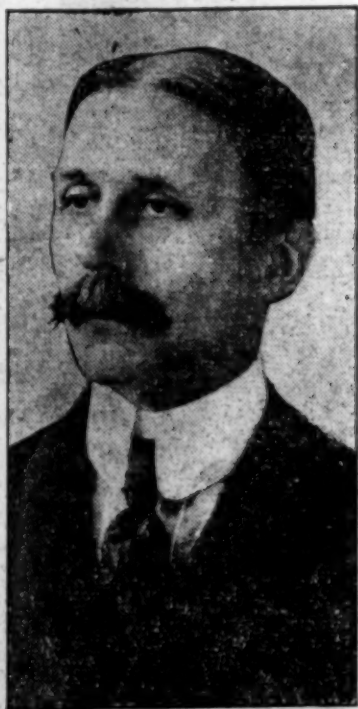
There is a good demand for the departmental publications in foreign countries. During the year there were sent to foreign addresses 42,325 packages containing departmental publications.

The department must be given an additional fund for printing for the next year, or it will not be possible to give to members of Congress their quota of 12,500 copies of each bulletin. This is because of the 43 new men who will come into the next Congress as the result of the reapportionment based on the census of 1910.

## TAYLOR LETTER BOUGHT FOR \$95

NEW YORK—A letter of Zachary Taylor, dated Baton Rouge, Nov. 17, 1848, a short time after his election as President, and addressed to Henry Clay, who was his chief competitor for the Whig nomination, brought \$95 at the sale of rare books and autographs by the George H. Richmond Company Tuesday. The successful bidder was P. F. Madigan. Two letters of John Quincy Adams, Sept. 4 and Sept. 24, 1827, written while he was President and addressed to Henry Clay, who was his secretary of state, were sold to E. H. Sauer, respectively, for \$19 and \$20. For a letter from James Madison, Montpelier, April 24, 1824, to Henry Clay, in relation to the latter's speech on the tariff and marked "private," Mr. Madigan gave \$17.50.

## Contractor Who Will Make Commonwealth Pier Ready for Ocean Liners



H. P. CONVERSE

## MEXICO READY FOR PEACE SAYS HER MINISTER

NEW YORK—"Everybody is ready for peace and everybody is ready to work," declared Senor Don Pedro Lascurain, Mexican minister of foreign relations, who added that the conditions of revolution in Mexico are greatly exaggerated. Senor Lascurain spoke at a dinner Tuesday of the Pan American Society of the United States and the Mexico Society of New York. Among the 110 guests were Manuel Calero, the Mexican ambassador at Washington; James Speyer, Count Mendes de Almeida of Rio de Janeiro; R. A. C. Smith, John Barrett of the Pan American Union, Justice James Gerard, president of the Mexico Society; Henry Taft, Cabot Ward, W. H. Page, Ward E. Pearson and William C. Potter.

Count Mendes de Almeida, who when he arrived here three months ago as the representative of the international rubber exposition in this city and to the international congress of chambers of commerce in Boston spoke no English, made a speech in English.

## PIER CONTRACT REACHES COUNCIL TO BE APPROVED

Governor Foss' council receives today for approval the contract for the reconstruction and equipment of the Commonwealth pier, at South Boston, for use of the Hamburg-American line, awarded by the directors of the port to H. P. Converse & Co. The port board signed the document Tuesday upon the presentation of the \$500,000 bond by the contractor.

The contractor already has a large number of men at work on the pier.

## POLICE STATIONS MUST FLY FLAGS

NEW YORK—Flags will be flown above the police stations after today. An order was sent out from police headquarters to that effect by First Deputy Commissioner Douglas L. McKay. The flags will be up from 8 a. m. till 5 p. m. every day.

## JOHN F. HURLEY WINS THREE-YEAR TERM AS THE MAYOR OF SALEM

SALEM, Mass.—John F. Hurley, in his twelfth campaign for mayor in 13 years, scored his fifth election yesterday, being elected under the new charter for a three-year term. He defeated William S. Felton by 220 votes. He is also chosen director of the division of public safety. The victory was celebrated with a parade about the city in the evening, the victor riding in an automobile and waving his famous silk hat, accompanied by a band and a throng of men and boys who followed him and burned red fire.

The city declared for no-license for the fourth consecutive year by a majority of 1043. Charles H. Danforth was elected director of finance over Joseph F. Hickey with a majority of 1437; Patrick J. Kelley, the present street commissioner, was elected director of public works, defeating Frank F. Newell by 2307 votes; Wallace L. Gifford for director of public property defeated Thomas J. Lally, Socialist, by 623 votes; William H. Colbert was elected director of public health over William F. Fouthey by 990 votes.

The firemen's act, providing one day off in five for the permanent members of the fire department was adopted by a majority of 2715.

William F. Cass and Horatio P. Peirson were elected without opposition for the three-year term on the school committee, John H. Davis and George P. Lord were elected for the two-year term on the school board and Harry P. Gifford for the one year term.

The total vote cast, outside of the school question, was 7281, out of a total male registration of 8084. Of the 713 women registered to vote for school committee candidates 594 balloted.

## ENGLISH SUFFRAGE WORK TOLD ABOUT

Suffrage work in England was discussed by Harry Phillips and Mrs. Owen Phillips, two English visitors to this country, at a meeting and reception held Tuesday afternoon at 583 Boylston street by the Massachusetts Suffrage Association and the Boston Equal Suffrage Association for Good Government. Mrs. Phillips said that she was anti-suffragist until she made a thorough study of the suffrage movement, but that now she was convinced that through the vote woman was to find the way opened to her greatest progress. Mrs. Maud Wood Park, executive secretary of the Boston association, gave an account of the national suffrage convention in Philadelphia.

The hostesses were Miss Ann Cleveland Cheney of Brookline and Mrs. Robert Gorham Fuller of Dover. Mrs. Fuller and Mrs. George P. Morris assisted.

## "FAKIRS ROW" NOW OPEN; VENDERS VIE TO SELL TOYS

"Fakirs Row" is busy again.

The scores of peddlers who sell holiday trinkets and toys year after year along the Tremont street curbstone from the Tremont building to the Park Street church, are now offering the usual attractions to the passerby.

At the stroke of 8 this morning the vendors of small wares rushed across Tremont street to secure the coveted places. Each stand is allowed to take up three feet; and, although by exact calculation there is only room for 90 stands, actual count today showed 127 of them, with about 170 sidewalk merchants.

Police under Sergeants Laffey, Magee, Berry and Clifford were obliged to drive back the crowd of 300 or more aspirants for these places more than once. Almost all the various nationalities represented in Boston were among the crowd that had been waiting for hours. To hear English spoken was the exception, rather than the rule. Most of those questioned said that they had been waiting since about 4 o'clock, while some had been on hand since midnight.

Those who gained positions are permitted to hold them until 11 o'clock Christmas eve. They must agree, however, to be orderly and not permit the street to become littered.

Anything suited for a "stand" was used to establish a claim. Boxes of many descriptions, old tables, desks, and carts served this morning as a show place for the wares.

## OUR GLOVE CERTIFICATE

Makes It Easy to Give Gloves When the Size or Style Is in Doubt

There's no more practical gift than Gloves. But oftentimes it is not possible to know the kind that would be preferred or even the size required. To remedy this difficulty we have placed on sale

Glove Certificates for Any Amount Exchangeable for Any Style Gloves in Our Stock at the Price for which the Certificate is Issued

These certificates are obtainable at any of our Glove sections on the street floor or third floor in the Main Store.

The Practicability of Glove Certificates as Holiday Gifts Accounts for the Rapidly Increasing Demand for Them Year After Year.

Jordan Marsh Company

WE SHALL MAINTAIN

## A Special Mailing Service

Adjacent to the Store Post Office

## During the Christmas Season

For the convenience of our patrons we have made arrangements whereby parcels and packages to be sent by mail may be neatly and securely wrapped, tied and mailed at a station adjoining the regular sub-postoffice on the Main Floor of our Main Store.

We Invite Our Patrons to Make Free Use of This Service

Jordan Marsh Company

## DR. W. E. BROWN ELECTED MAYOR

NORTH ADAMS, Mass.—Dr. Wallace E. Brown, Republican, who ran independent for mayor for two years and was defeated and this year ran as the regular Republican nominee, was elected mayor Tuesday over Representative W. A. O'Hearn, Democrat, and Herbert B. Clark, Independent. Brown got 1720 votes, O'Hearn 1213 and Clark 312. The city was carried for license by 408.

## WIRELESS STATION IS PLANNED

PORTLAND, Ore.—A. H. Ginman of San Francisco, representing the Marconi wireless system, is considering the preliminaries for opening a Portland station for the convenience of steamship lines. Mr. Ginman has been in communication with interests here who are ready to handle the business of the company.

## BATTLESHIPS CHANGE POSITION

At the Charlestown navy yard the battleship Nebraska went into full commission yesterday after being in first reserve while under repair. The Illinois, which has been taking the Nebraska's place in the Atlantic fleet, sailed for Philadelphia yesterday, where it will go into first reserve.

## A. Shuman &amp; Co.

## GLOVES

Our Glove Department affords a correct selection of Business, Street or Dress Gloves.

1.50 to 6.50

## Christmas Neckwear

A large and specially selected assortment in all colors and color combinations, 50c. Other ties up to \$3.00.

Visit our Xmas Dickens Booths, Street Floor

SHUMAN CORNER BOSTON

## Post Card Magic Lantern

Get One for the Boy or Girl

The only machine that reproduces the entire post cards.

Regular \$5.00 Machine

Our Special Price for Christmas Gifts

\$2.50

Made for Gas or Electricity

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## SCHOOL COOPERATION WITH PUBLIC LIBRARY IS COMMITTEE PLAN

Groups of Grade Teachers Name Chairmen and Select Lists of Writings Suitable for Use of Their Pupils

### WORK SYSTEMATIZED

To make the public library a more practical factor in school activities, Dr. Franklin B. Dyer, superintendent of schools, has appointed Augustine L. Rafter, assistant superintendent, chairman of a committee on school and library cooperation. The committee is composed of 28 other members representing the third, fourth, fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth school grades, and Miss Alice M. Jordan, in charge of children's work at the library.

In order to systematize the work each group of grade teachers has organized and elected its chairman as follows: Eighth grade, Myron T. Pritchard, master of the Everett school; Henry B. Hall, master of the John Winthrop school; William T. Miller, Agassiz school; Clarence H. Jones, Martin school; Alice M. Dickey, Normal school; Jessie W. Kelly, Washington Allston school; J. Annie Bense, Mather school; Abbie M. Mott, Warren school.

Seventh grade—Mary A. Quirk, Frothingham school, chairman; Elizabeth C. Diman, Edward Everett school; Laura E. Watte, Franklin school; Annie J. Reed, Everett school.

Grade six—Pauline M. Garey, Harvard school, chairman; Mary G. Cahill, Mather school; Mary L. Veazie, Dudley school.

Grade five—Elizabeth C. Bonney, Mather school, chairman; Cora V. E. Wright, Bunker Hill school; Rosemary Purcell, Christopher Gibson school.

Grade four—E. Leora Pratt, Oliver Wendell Holmes school, chairman; Elizabeth V. Cloney, Mather school; Mary S. Walsh, Gilbert Stuart school; Mary K. Corbett, William E. Russell school.

Grade three—Sarah E. Brown, Sharp school; Pauline F. Rafter, John Greenleaf Whittier school; Anna A. von Groll, W. L. P. Borden school; Louise Robinson, Louise May Alcott school, chairman.

Grade one—Kate L. Brown, Clapp school.

Each grade group is selecting lists of books suitable for pupils in that grade. These are to be reported to the whole committee about January 10 and will be passed upon by Miss Jordan of the library regarding certain details with which teachers are unfamiliar. This is a safeguard, for teachers have at times recommended to pupils books that for one reason or another have proved offensive to certain classes of pupils.

This committee will encourage teachers to take groups of their pupils to visit the library. Through the cooperation of library officials the pupils will be given talks on the use of books, their proper handling, the intricacies of the card catalogue, and other details of library administration.

An effort will be made also to give the teachers a more intimate knowledge of what the library contains. About one fourth of the teachers have cards, and few of them make as much use of the library in the schoolroom as might be made. The library has pictures of travel, history, art, industry and other subjects which it loans to schools in collections of 50 at a time for exhibition and study purposes. A set of 100 books selected by a teacher will be sent to her to be loaned to her pupils, permitting an extensive study of any subject and supplying a whole class with good reading. The library has also a large collection of lantern slides, which it will loan to a school. In the past these have not been used as much as they might be.

"It is claimed," says Mr. Rafter, "that more books are taken from this public library than from any other in this country. We want to make it even more useful than it is at the present time. I think our teachers do not realize what a golden treasure house our library is. We want to open it up to them, get them into an intimate working acquaintance with it, and through them the children."

## EGG CAMPAIGN TO BE COUNTRYWIDE

NEW YORK—An effort to procure the sale of eggs at less than 25 cents a dozen in every city in the country was started Tuesday by the national executive committee of the Housewives League of America. The appeal to join the crusade, sent to every state and city president urges the system of appealing to neighborhood dealers, as was done in Greater New York.

**WOMEN BOUGHT EGGS HIGH**  
CHICAGO—An official of the butter and egg board says Chicago club women, who paid 20 1/2 cents a dozen for 10 carloads of eggs, could have bought them in the open market for 18 cents a dozen.

**CAPITAL GETS CHEAPER EGGS**  
WASHINGTON—Cold storage eggs went off in price here Tuesday from 35 to 22 cents a dozen.

**STUDENTS' CHOIR SINGS CHORALS**  
WELLESLEY, Mass.—Conducted by the undergraduate Christian Association, the annual Christmas service was held last night in College Hall chapel. The students' choir gave chorals, assisted by Prof. Hamilton C. MacDougall, head of the music department.

## MONITORIALS

By NIXON WATERMAN

### HEROES

It seems to me the actor, when he comes upon the stage, With the spot-light turned upon him, full and fair, Has got the hardest task in which a mortal can engage. Since he must act as if he doesn't care.

Yet there's another duty just as trying, you'll agree, When the tablecloth is snowy as a swan, And the stubborn turkey-gobbler is as tough as he can be, And the family and the comp'ny looking on.

Then to seize the carving knife and fork and nobly go to work, (The knife as dull as the proverbial hoe)

And set about the purpose of partitioning that turk, Demands a lot of valor, don't you know.

The carver tries to seem quite cool; he wears a pleasant smile, But outward looks don't quite set forth the facts;

He secretly is yearning just to have that bird awhile

Out in the woodshed with a good sharp axe.

But finally the task is done and though we never see

On history's emblazoned page his name, All who have carved a turkey are convinced there ought to be

Another hero on the roll of fame.

The manner in which the Greeks appear to have been able to make their way against the Turks may serve to give additional meaning to the words indicating a feat of accomplishment: "As sick as Greece."

### FAIR SKIES

The day was very soft and fine. They strolled the forest through

And she remarked: "I love the pine" And he said: "I love yew."

While the public has been assured that the meeting between President-elect Wilson and Mr. Bryan, to take place when the former returns from Bermuda, is to be only a casual coming together, nevertheless it may be well, if they do not wish to have their words repeated, for some honestly disposed newspaper reporter to remind them, in the lines of Robert Burns: "A chiel's amang ye takin' notes, and, faith, he'll prent it."

### HOPEFUL

"Some first class modern conveniences would tend no doubt to increase your patronage and make your hotel more profitable."

"Yes, I am going to install an elevator hoping it will help to 'lift' the mortgage."

President Taft's kindly expressed willingness to make the path along which President-Elect Wilson is approaching the White House as smooth and pleasant as possible, reflects credit upon the uniformly hospitable and admirable disposition of our present chief executive. It is still possible that President Wilson will be able to reciprocate by returning similar favors to President-Elect Taft four or eight years from now.

### DIFFERENT

If "matches are made in heaven," I am very sure you'll find, That they are "parlor matches," Not the common kitchen kind.

### THE RECLUSE

He asks a quiet place that he May dwell in calm content, And so, perhaps, some day he'll be Our land's Vice-President.

As a matter of course all well-wishing persons will hope that the armistice that has been signed by the Turkish and Bulgarian delegates will finally prove to be a "disarm"-istice.

### SIMILAR

Of "that fierce light which beats upon a throne," Wrote Tennyson, the wise, poetic sage, Which, too, describes the spotlight that is thrown

On the performers of the vaudeville stage.

Already the leaders of the party are seeking to devise means for a getting together of the Republicans, past and present, in order that they may present a solid front four years hence. It is pretty generally conceded that as long as the party maintains two wings it won't have a leg left to stand on.

### DISTRIBUTED

When we go to settle our bills today We cannot help but feel

Somewhere between the items they Include the cost (which we must pay) Of somebody's automobile.

In planning to add three battleships to the naval defense of Great Britain, no doubt, Canada hopes that the mother country will keep the three gift craft somewhere around on this side of the world's map, within hailing distance, should anything of their nature be needed.

### PROVOCATION

"Will your dog bite?" asked the lady, when the owner answered "No, Not in ordinary cases, but," said he, "Whenever you are passing I'm afraid to let him go."

For I'm sure he's got a sweet-tooth, don't you see?

The kindly spectacle of Canada presenting the mother country with three expensive warships probably sets "Uncle Sam" to speculating upon how long it would be before he could expect Hawaii, Porto Rico or the Philippines to do as much for him.

### A LA MODE

"Why didn't Jenkins wear that literary woman who used to edit the magazine to which he sometimes contributed?"

"Oh, his marriage proposal came back to him accompanied with a printed slip bearing the words: 'Returned with thanks.'"

It is reported that 10,000 Japanese school children have learned to sing our national anthem. If they are able to sing the concluding stanzas without looking on the book, perhaps we may sometime hope that American children may do as well.

### OBVIOUS

"Do you think the friendship between Mr. Staylate and our daughter has the true ring to it?"

"Most certainly. He placed it on her finger only last evening."

Perhaps the 40 foot channel for Boston harbor will arrive none too soon for the city's growing ocean trade which promises to increase like sixty.

## WHAT THE SHEARS SAY

### REDUCING EXPENSES

A home page says scalloped tablecloths are just the thing. A few linen showers now, and we'll put this high cost of living thing on the shelf.—St. Paul Dispatch.

### HAS IMAGINATION, ANYWAY

"Even if she can't cook you've got to give Green's bride credit for being original."

"What has she done?"

"The other day she made a pumpkin pie with an upper crust."—Detroit Free Press.

### FACTS MADE PALATABLE

"What can I write to Mr. Penn in answer to his request for an honest opinion on his recent articles? They are as heavy as lead."

"Then just tell him his articles carry great weight."—Baltimore American.

### EASILY SATISFIED

"And now the merchant assembles all his old things on a table and labels it 10 cents a grab."

"What's that?"

"And puts up a placard: 'Suitable Gifts for Father.'"—Washington Herald.

### \$700,000,000 MERGER POSSIBLE

CHICAGO—Plans on consolidating every transportation line in the city and suburbs, involving property valued at \$700,000,000, with a view to contracting with the city for use of the proposed municipal subway, were discussed on Tuesday by Mayor Harrison and representatives of the five elevated and four surface lines. Mayor Harrison said he was pleased with results of the preliminary conference.

### DR. ELIOT A QUINCY SPEAKER

QUINCY, Mass.—Dr. Charles W. Eliot, president emeritus of Harvard University,

### VALUE OF INCENTIVE

"Sim, I hear you've got a defeated candidate working for you."

"Yes; and he did more work for nothing before election than he does now for a dollar a day."—Pittsburgh Post.

### MAKING HIM USEFUL

Huibly's packages keep dropping By the way.

Seems to him a wife out shopping Needs a drag.

—Washington Herald.

### TOOK UP LEADING SUBJECTS

"What did you discuss at the literary club today?"

"Shakespeare and the difficulty of keeping servants. Browning and the difficulty of finding a good dressmaker, and Emerson and the difficulty of getting fresh eggs."—Washington Herald.

### NOT ON THE LIST

Caller (in New York apartment house)—Did Mr. and Mrs. Tremper ever live here?

Bellboy—Does yo' 'member, Sam? Other Bellboy—Yais. But they only had a back apartment. Us boys never recognized 'em.—Puck.

city, was the guest last night of the Men's Club of the First church and talked on "The Commission Form of Government" before 300 prominent citizens. In the gathering were Mayor Stone and other city officials.

### GAS COMPANY HEADS DINE

The heads of departments of the Boston Consolidated Gas Company dined at Young's Hotel last evening. Ernest Barker, claim agent of the company, made an address, and Capt. W. E. McKay, vice-president of the New England Gas & Coke Company spoke on the working-men's compensation act.

## RATIONAL GOLF

By STEVEN ARMSTRONG

If I am not wrongly informed, it was H. H. Hilton who said that in America we were too fond of the score card, and there is a good deal of truth in the statement. Playing our own courses, during friendly matches, we are all too apt to pay more attention to trying to break our own records for 18 holes than to the match itself. Often when no trophy is at stake we lose the game because we have allowed ourselves to undergo all the pressure of a medal round, with its capacity for uplift or discouragement. After all, it is not very polite to our opponents. A man likes to feel that at least you consider him worth trying to beat. An article stating exactly what constitutes a record is quoted this week in this column, and so, many a round we had made in match play and fondly thought gave us the record of the club, does not stand as one after all, and the pride with which we used to explain to our admiring friends that we held the record of the course, "though naturally it isn't posted up because it was not made during an official competition, but in a private match," must be a thing of the past.

There is, as every one knows, a method of scoring in match play which is entirely different from that used in a medal round. What Mr. Hilton meant was that we use the former too seldom. Every one knows, or ought to know, that a medal round should be played with extreme caution and no risk; taken if you hope to head the list. In match play, on the contrary, one is sometimes forced to play a heroic shot to save a hole. Consequently if we are in the habit of thinking too much about our card in friendly matches we are likely to lose that power of playing better than our best at a critical time, which is the greatest asset any match player can possess. If you have never had this power you cannot lose it naturally; but you might cultivate it and nothing is more certain that you never will succeed in so doing if you pay too much attention to your pencil and card in private matches. Many and many a time one sees a wonderful medalist go out in a tournament to some one who has never covered the course within six or eight strokes of the medalist's record. It is my opinion that the explanation of this lies in the fact that most of us like doing the thing we can do best, and probably the medalist in question has been more interested in creating new figures for his home course, than he has been in strengthening himself in the weaker part of his game—match play, pure and simple.

Another thing referred to in the article about records is in regard to scores made in bogie competitions. Garden Smith said recently in an editorial in Golf Illustrated that "Mr. Darwin has often called attention to the absurd idea that the bogey score for a hole is an immutably accurate figure which represents its value. Many people who have done a hole in the bogey score allotted to it are completely satisfied with themselves, irrespective of the fact that they may not have played a single good shot from tee to hole. No matter what flukes they may have had, or how the wind, or the state of the ground, has shortened the hole, they seem to imagine that equaling bogey is incontestable proof that their play has been of a scratch standard, and if they chance to beat the bogey score they flatter themselves that they are on the plus mark. The writer of the paragraph which appeared in the papers about Taylor's play at Newland is evidently obsessed with this idea of the constant value of the bogey score as a standard of play. He was careful to explain that there was a strong wind blowing, but went on to say that Taylor was 3 over bogey going out, but 5 under coming in. He also added that Taylor took 7 to a bogey 6 hole owing to playing his ball into a hedge. As we were told nothing about the length or difficulty of the holes, nor whether the wind was adverse or favorable, to say nothing of the fact that Taylor was not playing against bogey at all, the details given of his performance against bogey were both irrelevant and inane."

## AMERICANS WILL NOT LET A PANIC OCCUR SAYS NEXT PRESIDENT

NEW YORK—Governor Wilson served warning upon the man or men who undertook to start a panic with a view to influence the policies of his administration, in a speech to the Southern Society last night.

"Some people say," he asserted, "that business is going to be disturbed by the changes which are going to be undertaken by the Democratic party. I mean changes in economic policy. Business cannot be disturbed unless the minds of those who conduct it are disturbed."

"A panic, according to the dictionary, is really a state of mind. There is just as much money in the country the day after a panic as the day before, but it is distributed differently as a result of the panic."

"But the machinery is in existence by which the thing can be deliberately done. Frankly, I don't think there is any man living who dares use the machinery for that purpose. If he does, I promise him, not for myself, but for my fellow countrymen, public disgrace which will live as long as the members of that man's family survive."

"America with her eyes open isn't going to let a panic happen." Mr. Wilson declared that he was going to keep an open door to all who came to transact business, that he proposed to have no secrets from the people and that he had great confidence in the power of "conversation" to visit punishment on men who undertake to abuse privileges given them by the people.

PRINCETON, N. J.—William J. Bryan is to have a conference with Governor Wilson at the State House Saturday and is now on his way here from Florida.

TRENTON, N. J.—Governor Wilson let it be known today that, although he had been elected President of the United States, he will continue to oppose the Smith-Nugent forces in New Jersey and any other elements in the nation's democracy which he considers reactionary or nonprogressive.

**HAWTHORNE MINE WORK**  
NEW YORK—J. Dean Holm, an engineer, was examined Tuesday in the trial of Julian Hawthorne and others, charged with using the mails to defraud in connection with mining promotions. Mr. Holm told of diamond drilling the property, and submitted photographs of the work and reports by the witness.

**F. M. PURMORT PASSES AWAY**  
Fred M. Purnmort, a sergeant in the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company, and for more than 25 years identified with the hotel business in Boston, passed away Tuesday at his home in Audubon road, Brookline. He was general manager at the Parker house.

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Bed Sets,—Cretonne flowers applied on poplin, 19.50, 22.50, 25.00 set formerly 29.50, 33.00 and 36.00

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## LOCAL CLAIM URGED BY W. B. PLUNKETT IN SENATE CONTEST

Declaring that western Massachusetts should be given special recognition when a successor to Senator W. Murray Crane is chosen, William B. Plunkett of Adams issued a statement as to his campaign for the senatorship Tuesday night in which he criticized the methods of the Republican state organization. A few leaders of the party, all residents of metropolitan Boston, he said, appear to have too much influence in the present senatorial campaign. He believed, he said, that many men, especially young men, are leaving the party because of the activity of these leaders.

Of his first reason for his candidacy Mr. Plunkett says: "I stand as the candidate of western Massachusetts because neither Congressman Gillett of Springfield nor Congressman Lawrence of North Adams, who represent the Republicanism of this section, and who are well qualified to fill the office of senator, would be the contest."

"I became a candidate when it appeared that an open attempt was to be made to deprive western Massachusetts of its just due in naming the successor of Senator Crane."

From the headquarters of Congressman Samuel W. McCall there has been made public a letter from Samuel J. Elder, declaring that of the several senatorial candidates he prefers Mr. McCall.

Representative Fred P. Greenwood of Everett issues a statement saying that he objects to being bound by a caucus to vote for a candidate who may not be favorable to the majority of his constituents.

## JUDGE ARCHBALD'S ATTORNEYS READY TO CLOSE DEFENSE

WASHINGTON—Hoping to finish the presentation of testimony this afternoon attorneys for Judge Archbald expected their satisfaction today over the evidence given by court judges Tuesday as to the good reputation of the defendant.

Among these were Judge George Gray and Judge J. B. McPherson of the federal court, Chief Justice D. Newlin Fell of the Pennsylvania supreme court, President Judge Charles E. Rice of the Pennsylvania superior court and former Gov. W. A. Stone.

For the first time during the impeachment trial, Judge Archbald withdrew from the Senate chamber during the testimony.

Senator Bacon, presiding, permitted the attorneys for the defense to ask, in addition to the usual questions as to general reputation in the community for integrity, another formal question as to his general reputation for integrity as a judge.

## INSTALL OFFICERS OF JORDAN LODGE.

PEABODY, Mass.—Jordan lodge, A. F. & A. M., held a public installation, banquet, entertainment and dance Tuesday evening in the town hall, with 250 present.

Worshipful Samuel Watts, assisted by Arthur A. Patee as marshal, installed the following officers: Worshipful master, Ernest W. Coombs; senior warden, Alonzo W. Tyler; junior warden, Howard W. Trask; treasurer, Worshipful Walter W. Williams; secretary, Fred Forness; chaplain, the Rev. Allen Greene; marshal, Phillips N. Smith; senior deacon, Arthur A. Osborne; junior deacon, James E. Pray; senior steward, Sidney S. Butterworth; junior steward, Nat Buxton; inside sentinel, Fred H. Langhille; organist, Worshipful George F. Low; Tyler, Joseph Clotney.

## ENGLISH HIGH, '72, HAS ANNIVERSARY

A. G. Van Nostrand has been elected president of the association of the class of 1872, English high school. Other officers are: Secretary-treasurer, C. H. Ramsey; directors, R. E. Babson, Walter Jenny, T. C. Riley, W. J. Covill and T. F. Richardson.

The class celebrated its fortieth anniversary with a dinner at Young's hotel, at which 20 covers were laid.

## W. J. FLYNN HEADS SECRET SERVICE

WASHINGTON—William J. Flynn of New York, appointed Tuesday chief of the United States secret service by Secretary MacVeagh of the treasury department, succeeds John E. Wilkie, new chief supervising agent of the customs service and assumes his duties today.

## TWO SAVED FROM FIRE.

George B. Norton and J. J. Donahue, firemen of engine 14, Roxbury, rescued Mrs. Mary Foye and her son Peter from the three-story wooden tenement at 42 Prentiss street, Roxbury, when a fire started from an overheated stove this morning. The damage was small.

## COMPANY D ELECTS OFFICER

Company D, ninth infantry, M. V. M., last night elected First Sergt. Nicholas A. Fleming to succeed Second Lieut. Joseph A. Benton. Sergt. Vincent C. Breen was appointed first sergeant by Capt. Thomas F. Sullivan.

## BAY STATE NEWS BRIEFS

### MIDDLEBORO

A men's class has been formed at the Central Methodist church, and the officers are: President, Sylvanus T. Le Baron; vice-presidents, L. B. Mendall, F. X. Woodward, George Dunham and Wilfred Keyes; secretary, Arthur G. Leggett; treasurer, Carl Kendall; chaplain, Albert H. Keyes.

The Home Mission Circle of the Central Congregational church has elected: President, Mrs. Lucy N. Lucas; vice-president, Mrs. Charles L. Morse; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Edward C. Wood; directors, Mrs. Arabella Bourne; Mrs. Henry O. Simmons; Mrs. William W. Tinkham; Mrs. Josiah A. Perkins; Mrs. Zenas E. Phinney and Mrs. I. K. Ellis.

A meeting of the W. C. T. U. was held yesterday in the rooms in the Pierce building.

### WAKEFIELD

Harmony chapter, O. E. S., has named Mr. and Mrs. Stephen E. Ryder, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Abbott, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur B. Weld, Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Bowman, Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Lawrence, Mrs. Frank H. Hackett and Mrs. Arthur G. Abbott as the committee to have charge of the annual cafe concert. The chapter has chosen these officers to be installed with appointive officers at the January meeting. Worthy matron, Mrs. Lillian C. Field; worthy patron, Mr. Frank Shea; associate matron, Mrs. Fannie E. Roach; secretary, Miss Mary A. Pope; treasurer, Mrs. Grace J. A. Alden; conductress, Mrs. Mabel C. Walker; associate conductress, Mrs. Grace S. Wall; trustee, Dr. Charles E. Montague.

### ARLINGTON

The Francis Gould Woman's Relief corps No. 43 is represented today at the county convention in Woburn by Mrs. W. S. Durgin and Mrs. Grace Whittier.

Officers have been elected by the Ladies Auxiliary of the Charles V. Marsh camp 45, Sons of Veterans, as follows: President, Mrs. Ina S. Cutter; vice-president, Mrs. Mabel Ham; trustees, Mrs. Lucretia X. Floyd, Mrs. Bartlett and Mrs. Chapman; treasurer, Mrs. Lila Russell; chaplain, Mrs. Etta M. Stevings; guide, Miss Ethel Merrill; assistant guide, Mrs. Frank Russell; patriotic instructor, Mrs. Ernest Griffin; inside guard, Mrs. Annie Tucker; outside guard, Mrs. Bartlett. The officers will be installed Jan. 6.

### MELROSE

Several city government committees met last evening. The proposition for equipping the fire department with motor apparatus throughout will go to the next board of aldermen. The aldermen will meet again Dec. 30 when the appointment of Harry N. Vaughn as park commissioner to fill the vacancy made by the resignation of Mayor-elect Oliver B. Munroe will be approved.

The Malden Electric Company has submitted a new proposition for street lighting. Melrose now burns the lights all night with the exception of moonlight nights. Under the new proposal, Melrose would burn the lights all night every night at a cost of \$855 more than at present.

### LEXINGTON

These are the new officers of the Lexington Fellowship of Charities: President, Miss Amy E. Taylor; vice-presidents, Miss Ellen M. Tower and Edmund P. Merriam; secretary, Mrs. H. L. Houghton; treasurer, Miss Bertha M. Hutchinson; directors, Mrs. Allston M. Redman, George Ernest Briggs and John A. Sweetser.

Mrs. Ina Cutter is the delegate from the George G. Meade Woman's Relief corps No. 97 at the county relief corps convention in Woburn today.

### CHELSEA

The Walter I. Chadburne camp, Spanish war veterans, has elected: Commander, George W. Baker; vice-commanders, Oscar Hottler, Charles N. Thomas; officer of the day, Walter R. Hayes; officer of the guard, Nathaniel A. Grant; adjutant, Charles A. Abraham; trustee, John C. Barrett.

### WINTHROP

There will be a sale in the vestry of the Baptist church Saturday afternoon. At the meeting of the Wintthrop Woman's Club Friday afternoon, the children will be special guests and for their benefit will be given the play, "Golden Hair and the Three Bears."

### SHARON

Progressives held an organization rally last night in the lower town hall. The speaker was William Odlin of Boston.

A sale of jewelry from Attleboro was held in the vestry of the Unitarian church yesterday.

### WATERTOWN

Mrs. Hallie Hill, national organizer of home mission work, will give an address this evening before the Woman's Home Missionary Society of St. John's Methodist Episcopal church. Her subject will be "Our Nation's Gateway."

### READING

The "Us Boys" Club has been formed with Ernest Richmond president, Winge Bixby secretary and Frank H. Dewey treasurer.

Priscilla chapter, O. E. S., will have a long program at tonight's meeting, with a supper, initiation, roll call, reception of new members and election of officers.

### STONEHAM

Evergreen Rebekah lodge, I. O. O. F., has elected: Noble grand, Mrs. Alice Lombard; vice-grand, Mrs. Annie Kingsley; treasurer, Mrs. Grace Chapman; recording secretary, Mrs. Stella S. Weed.

### HANSON

Theodore L. Bonney post, G. A. R., has elected the following officers: Commander, John Scates; senior vice-commander, N. T. Howland; junior vice-commander, A. L. Dame; surgeon, W. W. Hood; chaplain, Gibson Beal; quartermaster, Joseph W. Clemons; officer of the day, Charles G. Moore; officer of the guard, Amos M. Bates; patriotic instructor, Otis L. Bonney; delegate, Otis L. Bonney; alternate, A. L. Dame.

Theodore L. Bonney, W. R. C., has named these officers: President, Mrs. Arline Bourne; senior vice-president, Mrs. Julia Rand; junior vice-president, Mrs. Mary A. Bates; treasurer, Mrs. Sara H. Pratt; chaplain, Mrs. Lydia Sampshire; conductor, Mrs. Grace G. Bonney; guard, Mrs. Stella Ibbison; delegate, Mrs. Mary A. Bates; alternate, Mrs. Anna Loring.

### REVERE

Lester Waldron, Orville Walton and Leo Murray form the committee for the social of the High School Alumni Association, which will be held in the school hall this evening.

The philanthropy committee of the Revere Woman's Club, of which Mrs. Carrie Stowers is chairman, will hold a food sale in the Unitarian vestry this afternoon for the benefit of the Ingleside home.

The Brotherhood of Trinity Congregational Church will observe forefathers' day and their annual ladies' night this evening.

### MILTON

Nathaniel S. Barry has been reelected commander of Huntington Frothingham Wolcott post 102, G. A. R.

According to a report filed by Joseph H. Duffy, clerk of the board of selectmen, it cost \$250,709.17 to conduct the town's business from March to November.

An extra force of clerks has been secured by Superintendent Maloney of the postoffice to care for the holiday rush.

### BRIDGEWATER

The Plymouth County Agricultural Society held its annual meeting in Bridgewater and elected: President, Augustus Pratt of North Middleboro; vice-presidents, Ernest Leach of Bridgewater and Jabez P. Thompson of Halifax; trustees, Clifton P. Howard of West Bridgewater, Walter Packard of Campello, Sydney T. Nelson of Lakeville and Edward E. Bacon; secretary and treasurer, Howard Wilbur of West Bridgewater.

### WHITMAN

The Young Peoples Society of Loyal Workers of the Advent church has elected: President, Myles H. Brown; vice-president, C. A. Morey; secretary, Mrs. Etta Perkins; treasurer, Mrs. Hattie Ellis.

The members of the Christian Endeavor Society of the Congregational church held an old-fashioned party at the church vestry last evening.

### DORCHESTER

There will be a meeting of Mrs. John A. Andrew tent 1, Daughters of Veterans, in G. A. R. hall this evening.

The Harvard Improvement Association has changed the date of its February meeting to the 11th, in order that Supt. Franklin B. Dyer of the Boston schools may be present.

### WEST BRIDGEWATER

The Brotherhood of the First Baptist church has elected: President, Bernard S. Sabean; vice-president, Paul Revere; secretary, J. Alton Paine; treasurer, H. Arthur Parry. The society will hold a banquet Jan. 6. The speaker will be Senator Ezra W. Clarke of Brockton.

### MALDEN

A federation of the young people's societies of the city will be formed at a meeting tonight in Y. M. C. A. hall. At its morning recital today the Malden Musical Club's program was devoted to the works of American composers.

### WEBSTER

A union service of the Congregational, Baptist and Methodist churches will be held tonight in the Methodist church.

The diocesan officers of the Girls Friendly Society of the Episcopal church visit the Church of Reconciliation this afternoon.

### ABINGTON

Betty Alden Rebekah lodge, I. O. O. F., has elected: Noble grand, Mrs. Emma Nash; vice grand, Mrs. Frank Shaw; recording secretary, Miss Mildred Drake; financial secretary, Miss Fannie Jackson; treasurer, Miss Eva L. Studley.

### EAST BRIDGEWATER

The Rev. Albert J. Coleman has been elected president of the Men's Club of the Unitarian church and W. J. Nutter, secretary.

### WINCHESTER

Melvin M. Johnson of Waltham is to be the principal speaker at the banquet of the Men's Club of the First Congregational church tomorrow evening.

### MEDFORD

Members of Sarah Bradlee Fulton chapter, D. A. R., will observe the chapter's sixteenth anniversary in the Royall house tonight.

### MARLBORO

The quarterly meeting of the Marlboro Board of Trade was held in the city hall, last evening.

### CONCORD

Mrs. Robertson James has been elected president of the Woman's Suffrage Association.

### HOLBROOK

Brookville grange, P. H., has elected: Worthy master, Fred Gill; overseer, Ezra Provost; lecturer, Mrs. Alida Gill; steward, Edward E. Bowett, Jr.; assistant steward, Wallace Austin; chaplain, E. Martin Harris; treasurer, Capen Howard; secretary, Mrs. Cora Shaw; gatekeeper, Clinton Shaw; cures, Miss Annie Lyons; pomona, Miss Mary Spell; flora, Mrs. Ida Richardson; lady assistant steward, Mrs. Arvie Austin.

Norfolk lodge, K. P., entertained District Deputy Chancellor Commander Albert F. Kirby of Boston at its meeting Tuesday evening.

### NEWTON

This evening, in the vestry of the Newton Center Methodist church, a supper will be given, under the direction of Mrs. William P. Cooke. Following the supper a unique program will be offered, under the direction of Mr. and Mrs. Alken H. Speare and Mr. and Mrs. Webster A. Chandler.

A social will be given this evening in the parlors of the Newton Upper Falls Methodist church under the auspices of the Ladies Aid Society.

Charles E. Beane will repeat his lecture on Newfoundland at the Hunnewell Club this evening.

### WEYMOUTH

Dorothea L. Dix tent, D. V., has elected: President, Mrs. Mildred Morgan; senior vice-president, Mrs. Carrie Langhurst; junior vice-president, Mrs. Clara Maynard; treasurer, Mrs. Nellie Loud; chaplain, Mrs. Jessie Durant; patriotic instructor, Mrs. Mary Brasill; trustees, Mrs. Fannie Lincoln, Mrs. Nellie Loud and Mrs. Clara Wilder.

The Sunday school of the Second Universalist church holds an entertainment in the vestry Monday evening.

### BRAINTREE

Braintree grange, P. of H., has elected: Master, Charles Matthews; overseer, George Burton; lecturer, L. B. Twitcheil; steward, Mrs. George Burton; assistant steward, O. M. Faulkner; chaplain, Mrs. E. F. Tirrell; treasurer, J. P. Robery; secretary, Mildred Dyer; gate keeper, William Gallady; cures, Isadore Dustin; pomona, Emma White; flora, Fannie French; lady assistant steward, Emily Davis.

### QUINCY

The Rt. Rev. William Lawrence, bishop of Massachusetts, visited Christ church Tuesday evening.

The junior auxiliary of St. Chrysostom's church held an entertainment in the vestry Tuesday evening.

The Earnest Workers Lend-a-Hand Club of the Wollaston Unitarian church held a sale at the home of Mrs. E. A. Sayward, 253 Belmont street, Tuesday afternoon.

### ROCKLAND

Capt. John Pulling chapter, D. A. R., held a meeting at the home of Mrs. Mary A. Beal on Union street Tuesday evening.

Old Colony temple, P. S., held its annual inspection in Pythian hall Tuesday evening.

The Episcopal services which have been held in Red Men's hall since Nov. 1 are to be continued indefinitely. The Rev. George F. Weld of Hingham will continue in charge.

### FRANKLIN

The Franklin grange has elected: Master, Charles E. Adams; overseer, Mrs. Elizabeth Ellis; secretary, Miss Susie E. Adams; treasurer, Mrs. Eunice MacIvor; chaplain, Lillis Litchfield; lecturer, Miss Lucy E. Tower; steward, Enoch Mayo; assistant steward, Miss Ethel Snodgrass; Flora, Miss May Wiley; Pomona, Mrs. Florence Bardol; Ceres, Miss Theresa Lacey; gatekeeper, Mrs. Hazel Eason; member executive committee for three years, Mrs. Eleanor Milliken.

### NORWOOD

The Norwood Press Club has chosen: President, Thomas McCready; vice-president, Charles H. Donnell; treasurer, Walter J. Berwick; secretary, Frank H. Caswell; directors, John J. Owens, R. J. Mahady, George Sutton, Julius Balduf, C. W. Jackson, James S. Cox, Leo Meyers, Edward Dyer and Harold Baker.

## IMMIGRATION BILL OPPOSED IN HOUSE

WASHINGTON—Determined opposition by a minority composed of both Republicans and Democrats, steered by Republican Leader Mann, Tuesday night held up action in the House on the ill-fated test immigration bill, after a second day had been devoted to oratory and debate over the measure. Representative Gardner of Massachusetts fought for the bill and Representatives Murray and Curley against it.

The Bennett amendment to the Dillingham bill, passed by the Senate, was adopted by the House, 202 to 62, at the close of the debate today. As the amendment struck out all of the original measure except the enacting clause, this practically was a vote on the bill as reported by the committee. However, the final vote on the bill as amended remains to be taken.

### OLYMPICS ARE DESCRIBED

Events at the recent Olympic games in Stockholm were discussed by Joseph B. Macabee, a member of the executive committee of the games, and Edward E. Babb, who were the guests at a dinner given by the Quincy Schoolmasters Club at the Quincy house last night.

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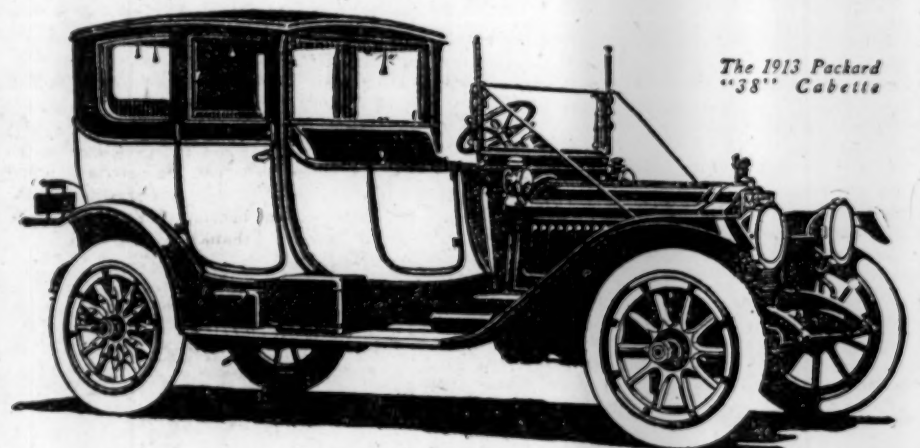
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## CONTROLLER SAYS MORE POWER NEED

PITTSBURGH, Pa.—Lack of power in the controller's hands to supervise the national banks was declared by Lawrence O. Murray, controller of the currency, in a speech here Tuesday, to be a defect in the banking laws. He told the Pittsburgh chapter of the American Institute of Banking that the powers given the controller in his efforts to meet the great problems of supervision which came before him had not been increased a particle during the 49 years of national growth. "In other words," he said, "we are exactly where we were nearly half a century ago, so far as the power to supervise banks is concerned."

## RIGHT OF WAY CONTEST SETTLED

SAN JOSE, Cal.—After a dispute of four months, during which the law was threatened by both sides, the Peninsula Railroad Company has secured right of way through the creek lands of Dr. J. B. Bullitt of Berryessa, and the work of rebuilding the electric line to Alum Rock park, which was destroyed two years ago, will be pressed to completion.

The new road is one of the costliest pieces of electric railway in California. Nearly a dozen expensive concrete bridges are employed in crossing and re-crossing the Penitencia creek.

## DARTMOUTH HEAD PLANS TRIP

HANOVER, N. H.—Sec. Walden J. Knapp has given out the itinerary of President Nichols' visits to the Dartmouth Alumni associations of the country. He will leave Hanover Dec. 27, and make his first visit with the Springfield, Mass., association. He will return Jan. 25, when he will stop off at Worcester. He will visit Boston Jan. 25.

## DYNAMITE DEFENDANT FREED

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind.—Clarence E. Dowd of Rochester, N. Y., formerly organizer for the International Association of Machinists in Detroit, was discharged as a defendant in the dynamite conspiracy trial, Tuesday, on the ground that inefficient evidence existed against him, leaving 40 men whose cases are to go to the jury. John T. Butler, vice-president of the bridge workers' international association, was committed to jail after the court had said he committed perjury, after testifying in his own behalf.

## BRIDGE WILL BENEFIT SHIPPERS

FT. FAIRFIELD, Me.—A haul of about 350 miles will be saved to shippers by the construction of a bridge over the St. John river between Van Buren, Me., and St. Leonards, N. B. A railroad company, which has built a new line from Campbellton, N. B., to St. Leonards, announces that connection will be made with Maine railroads at Van Buren.

## MAYOR LUNN IS INDICTED

LITTLE FALLS, N. Y.—The Herkimer grand jury returned Tuesday an indictment charging incitement to riot against George R. Lunn, mayor of Schenectady, on account of his speeches to textile strikers Oct. 30.

## TYPOTHETAE BOARD DINES

Boston Typothetae Board of Trade members and guests attended the annual meeting and dinner of the organization at the City Club last evening.

## INCREASE IN WAGE EARNERS SHOWN

TRENTON, N. J.—Industry among citizens in New Jersey is on the increase, according to the annual report of Winton C. Garrison, chief of the state bureau of labor and statistics.

The number of wage-earners in the state now as compared with the total of a year ago is, 1 per cent increase. The total of wage-earners for the year was 305,295, distributed among 2473 companies represented in the statistics of the report. Of this total, 222,997 are men and boys, 76,216 are women and girls.

## GARY'S SCHOOL SYSTEM IS MODEL

CINCINNATI—Principal F. M. Youmans and Acting School Superintendent E. D. Roberts of the Chase school are in Gary, Ind., studying the Gary industrial elementary schools. The plan is to be introduced in the proposed new F. B. Dyer school, which will be built on the site of the old Fourth Intermediate.

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# Alleged Money Trust Ramifications Shown

**OVER \$25,325,000,000  
SAID TO BE DOMINATED  
BY 18 FINANCIAL FIRMS**

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\$2,646,000,000; 155 directorships in 31 railroad systems capitalized at \$12,193,000,000; six directorships in two express companies and four directorships in one steamship company with a combined capital of \$245,000,000 and a gross income of \$87,000,000; 96 directorships in 28 industrial corporations capitalized at \$3,583,000,000 and earning over \$1,145,000,000 annually, and 48 directorships in 19 public utility corporations capitalized at \$2,820,000,000 and earning over \$428,000,000 annually.

Interest of the Morgan firm in finance was shown as follows by the committee's statistics:

Control of 23 directors in 13 banks and trust companies, with resources of \$1,406,000,000 and deposits of \$989,000,000.

Four directors in four insurance companies with assets of \$1,249,000,000.

Twenty directors in 12 railroads capitalized at \$4,379,000,000 with mileage of 48,000 miles and a gross income of \$72,000,000 annually.

Twelve directors in seven industrial corporations capitalized at \$1,989,000,000 and earning annually \$809,000,000.

Four directors in three public utilities companies, capitalized at \$1,013,000,000 and earning \$10,036,000 annually.

In all 63 directors in 39 corporations having resources of \$10,036,000,000.

It was shown that the Morgan firm has three directors each in the Astor Trust Company, the Bankers Trust Company and Chemical National Bank, the First National Bank and the Guaranty Trust Company, and other directors in the Liberty National Bank, the National Bank of Commerce, the National City Bank, the New York Trust Company and the Fourth Street National Bank of Philadelphia, the Franklin and Girard Trust companies of the Quaker city and the Philadelphia National Bank.

Representation by the Morgan company on the following insurance companies was also alleged:

The Fidelity and Casualty Company, the German-American Insurance Company, the Mutual and the Penn Mutual, and a controlling stock interest in the Equitable Assurance Society of New York.

## Big Traffic Interests

Transportation companies in whose board of directors Morgan representatives were said to be:

International Mercantile Marine Company, Adams Express Company, Atchafalaya, Topeka & Santa Fe, Chicago Great Western, Erie, Lehigh Valley, New York Central, New York, New Haven & Hartford, Northern Pacific, Pere Marquette, Reading & Southern.

"Morgan" directors are also ascribed to the Baldwin Locomotive works, the General Electric Company, the International Agricultural Corporation, the International Harvester Company, the United States Steel Corporation (four) and the Westinghouse Electric Company, the American Telephone & Telegraph Company, the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company and the Public Service Corporation of New Jersey.

It was also declared that the Morgan company has two or three voting trustees controlling the Guaranty Trust Company of New York; one of three trustees of the Bankers Trust Company; one of three trustees of the Chicago Great Western railway; two of five in the Mercantile Marine trustees; one of three voting trustees of the Southern railway and one trustee of the voting "trust" of the International Agricultural Corporation.

## Other Interests Shown

It also was shown that J. Pierpont Morgan & Co. and the Guaranty Trust Company have three common firm members and directors—Henry P. Davison, William P. Porter and Thomas W. Lamont. The first two and George F. Baker also were declared to be voting trustees of the company. Like control of the Bankers Trust Company also was set forth.

Three Morgan members, it was stated, also are directors of the First National Bank.

How the First National, the Guaranty and Bankers' Trust, the Chase National and National Bank of Commerce companies have from three to nine "interlocking" directors was shown.

The statistical tables showed that the Morgan firm, the First National, National City, Guaranty and Bankers Trust companies together have:

One hundred and eighteen directors in 34 banks and trust companies, with resources of \$2,679,000,000 and deposits of \$1,983,000,000.

Thirty directors in 10 insurance companies with assets of \$2,293,000,000.

One hundred and five directors in 32 transportation lines, capitalized at \$11,784,000,000, with mileage of 150,200 miles.

Sixty-three directors in 24 industrial corporations having a total capitalization of \$3,339,000,000.

Twenty-six directors in 12 public utility corporations capitalized at \$2,150,000,000.

Total financial control of these five great companies was stated to be 341 directors in 122 corporations with aggregate resources of \$22,245,000,000.

Details of the concentration of money

interest of all of the other 17 big firms also were known.

## First Witness Called

Charles M. Riddell, sergeant-at-arms of the House of Representatives, the first witness called, detailed his unsuccessful efforts to serve William Rockefeller with a subpoena to appear before the committee. Mr. Undermyer then had read into the record a copy of a letter and telegram he had sent to Mr. Rockefeller's home and office, notifying him of the effort to serve him.

Chairman Pujo followed this by reading a statement from J. K. Jones, an attorney of Washington, on behalf of Mr. Rockefeller, that he was unable to testify.

Lawrence Scudder, chief statistician for the committee, introduced statistics, showing the assets and business of the largest insurance companies as a foundation for the "interlocking directorate" figures. He showed that at the present rate of increase in their business, in 1931 the New York Life Insurance Company would have assets of \$1,501,000,000, the Mutual Life \$1,056,000,000, the Equitable Life \$852,000,000, and the Metropolitan Life \$809,000,000 or a total for the four companies of \$4,438,000,000.

Mr. Scudder also presented figures showing sales of Amalgamated Copper stock. He said 228,940 shares were sold in a single day on one occasion. The witness told of large balances credited to the insurance companies in the large banks of New York.

## Searched Rockefeller Home

Deputy Sergeant-at-Arms Newman of the House testified that he wasted three days searching for William Rockefeller last October. He said he searched Mr. Rockefeller's Fifth-avenue residence and also his Tarrytown home.

"Did you search all of the rooms?" he was asked.

"All at Fifth avenue, but not at Tarrytown."

## ARCHBOLD LETTERS PROCURED FOR \$34,000 SAYS MR. FORAKER

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counsel for the Standard Oil Company at certain periods.

"From the beginning of our Congress," Mr. Foraker asserted, "senators and members of Congress have been considered free to engage in the private practice of law so long as they did not engage in influencing legislation."

Witness then presented a statement which one of his agents secured from Willie Winkfield, son of Mr. Archbold's butler. This alleged that Winkfield and Charles Stumpf, employed as confidential messengers in the Standard Oil offices, had peddled the financial secrets of their employers to a Hearst newspaper, receiving in all \$34,000.

Gilchrist Stewart, who interviewed Winkfield at Mr. Foraker's request will probably be summoned by the committee. He lives in New York.

Mr. Foraker also remarked that Mr. Stewart had called to his attention some time ago the publication in a Boston newspaper on Sept. 28, 1908, of a statement by John Cronin that Mr. Stewart was preparing to attempt the wrecking of the Democratic party, acting as the agent of Charles P. Taft, brother to the President.

## NAVAL INQUIRY TO BE THOROUGH

NORFOLK, Va.—Federal department of justice has joined in the naval commissary investigation in the Atlantic fleet, involving charges against the commissary stewards and naval contractors.

United States Attorney Groner is attending the naval court of inquiry on the battleship Vermont. Grand jury proceedings are likely if the evidence involves civilians who could not be reached by the naval court.

Every naval post from Norfolk to and including Boston will be included, said Capt. Roger Wells of the Louisiana. Captain Wells declared that every battleship in the Atlantic fleet will be involved.

## JOHN WINTHROP STATUE URGED

Ornamentation of Copley square by the statue of John Winthrop, Governor of the Massachusetts Bay colony, was urged yesterday by Edwin D. Mead at the monthly meeting of the Bostonian Society in the Old State House.

The resolution in protest of Congressman James M. Curley's recent statement in Congress, belittling the Boston tea party, was laid on the table.

## RAILROAD INQUIRY URGED

Members of the Ward 10 Progressive Club at a meeting Tuesday night adopted resolutions which were sent to Congressman Andrew J. Peters at Washington asking him to support the movement for a federal investigation of alleged transportation monopolies in New England.

## BAY STATE USE OF TUNNEL URGED

Representative-elect Andrew A. Casassa of Revere has filed a bill at the State House with a view to allowing the Bay State street railroad to use the tracks of the proposed tunnel under Boston harbor for the Boston & Eastern railroad.

## TROLLEY EXPRESS BEGINS ON THE WORCESTER LINE

**First Car on New Line Arrives in Center of Boston, Marking Opening of Service Which Is Another Step in Covering the State**

Trolley express and freight service over the tracks of the Boston & Worcester Street Railway Company was begun this morning, when the first car left the South Framingham terminal at 8:10 o'clock in charge of C. J. Lewis, freight agent of the Boston & Worcester.

Just two hours and 20 minutes later the car drew into the Harrison avenue terminal and began unloading the merchandise picked up at the various stations along the route. Preparations were then made for the return trip at noon.

Another express car leaves South Framingham at 12:25 p. m. today, reaching Chestnut Hill about 2 p. m. These two cars will continue to make one round trip each between South Framingham and Boston every day.

On Monday, however, this service will be extended to Worcester, it was learned today, connecting with the Worcester Consolidated Street Railway Company. Two daily round trips will be made from Worcester to Boston, thus giving four trips out of Boston daily to cities and towns in the center of the state.

A special milk car is to be placed in service early next week, leaving South Framingham and Worcester in the early

hours of the morning for Boston. Stops will be made to pick up the cans of milk and cream from the various farms along the road.

Consignments for Brockton and Cambridge, as well as 40 cans of milk and miscellaneous merchandise were included in the freight list brought in on the first trip today. Stops were made at Natick, Wellesley, Newton Highlands and Chestnut Hill, arriving at the latter station at 9:45 a. m. The car then proceeded through Boylston street, Brookline Village, Huntington and Massachusetts avenues to Northampton street, thence to the Harrison avenue terminal.

With the establishment of the Boston-Worcester service, three trolley companies combine in the use of the freight terminal at 536 Harrison avenue. The Bay State Street railway already has in operation a service to Brockton and cities south of Boston, and enters the city over the tracks of the Boston Elevated.

With the extension of the Worcester Consolidated service to points north, south and west of Worcester, practically every corner of Massachusetts may be reached directly by trolley express.

## SALE OF FOREST LAND IS OPPOSED

MINNEAPOLIS—That the state of Minnesota should sell no more of its non-agricultural land, but should buy much of that now in private ownership, is the recommendation of the state forestry board in its annual report to Gov. A. O. Eberhart.

"The state owns between 2,000,000 and 3,000,000 acres of land in northern Minnesota," says the report. "Most of this is forested and a considerable part is totally unfit for agriculture. Such lands are of value only in growing timber, for the mineral which they contain and as recreation ground for the people. Compared with other states Minnesota has very few state forests. Itasca park and Burnside and Pillsbury forests total only 43,000 acres, some of which still is private land. Pennsylvania has bought up 1,000,000 acres, New York 1,600,716 acres, and Wisconsin 113,000 acres for state forests."

The Legislature will be asked to increase the appropriation for the board, which was \$75,000 yearly in 1911 and 1912, to \$150,000 a year for 1913 and 1914.

## LARGE PACKING HOUSE PLANNED

FT. WORTH, Tex.—Proposing to build a packing house to cost \$250,000 in Pine Bluff, Ark., a deputation from that town was in Ft. Worth recently to inspect the Ft. Worth packing houses to get ideas.

The sum of \$300,000 has been subscribed for stock and committee members were sure that the deal would be put through.

A site of 175 acres has been purchased.

## STATISTICS AS TO STEEL GO IN

PHILADELPHIA—Statistics gathered by the American Iron and Steel Association, an information bureau maintained by the trade, were admitted in the hearing on the dissolution of the United States Steel Corporation Tuesday in the face of the protests of its counsel. They show the output from the time of the formation of the corporation, in 1901, up to 1911. The hearing will be resumed in New York in January.

## WILL FULFILL PROMISE

The will of Thomas W. Hough, for over 20 years fire commissioner of Malden, reveals that Hough kept the promise he frequently made, that not a man who followed his advice in making stock investments should ever lose a cent thereby. Nearly \$10,000 of his modest fortune will, under the provisions of the will, be distributed among those who did suffer loss because they invested their money as he advised.

## IRISH HOME RULE PREDICTED

Reviewing progress of the Irish home rule bill at a meeting of the central branch and council of the United Irish League of Boston and vicinity in the American house last evening, David L. Walsh, Lieutenant-Governor-elect of Massachusetts, predicted ultimate success for it in the near future.

## EXHIBIT OF LACES HAS EDUCATIONAL OBJECT

That the women of Boston are intelligent and artistic but lack knowledge of laces, was the opinion expressed today by Mme. Marie A. Duarte, in charge of an exhibition of Portuguese laces at the rooms of the Arts and Crafts, 9 Park street. The laces shown were made by Mme. Pinheiro, a friend of Mme. Duarte in Lisbon, and are the result of a long and wide study of lace-making with a view to introducing artistic and original quality into the work in Portugal. It

## SAFETY MATCH LAW FRIENDS MEET

NEW YORK—To further the organized resistance to the amendment in repeal of the new match law of New York city, which goes into effect Jan. 1, a mass meeting is to be held at Labor Temple, Second avenue and Fourteenth street, at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

The law under discussion forbids the manufacture, transportation or sale within the city of New York of any matches without permit from the fire commissioner. It directs that approval shall be denied any kind of "fuzes" or "wind match" and matches which have not been treated to prevent an afterglow.

Among those who will address the meeting are: Mrs. William Grant Brown, president New York City Federation of Women's Clubs; Peter J. Brady, secretary of Central Union label council of Greater New York; Mrs. Eva McDonald Valesh, editor of The American Club Woman, and president Women's National Fire Prevention Association; Edward F. Croker, former chief of the fire department of New York city; Mrs. Julian Heath, national president of the Housewives League; Dr. Henry Moscovitz, member of the committee of safety of New York city, and Miss Sadie American, former secretary of the Council of Jewish Women.

## INDUSTRIAL BOARD MEMBERS NAMED

WASHINGTON—Nominations of nine men to compose the United States commission on industrial relations, authorized by an act of Congress, have been sent to the Senate for confirmation by President Taft. The nominations are: Representing the people, Senator George Sutherland of Utah; George B. Chandler, a member of the Connecticut Legislature; Charles Simon Barrett of Georgia, president of the farmers' union. Representing capital, Frederick A. Delano of Chicago, formerly president of the Washish railroad; Adolph Lewisohn of New York, copper mine owner and philanthropist; F. C. Schwedman of Missouri, an electrical engineer. Representing labor, Austin B. Garretson of Iowa, president of the Order of Railway Conductors; John B. Lennon, treasurer of the American Federation of Labor, and James O'Connell of the District of Columbia, vice-president of the same organization.

The main purpose of the commission will be to "seek to discover the underlying causes of dissatisfaction in the industrial situation, and report its conclusions thereon."

## BOY RESCUES COUSIN

Charlie Sullivan, the young son of Representative Benjamin F. Sullivan of East Boston, rescued his little cousin, James Roche, off the Orient Heights Yacht Club yesterday afternoon. The younger boy waded out beyond his depth into the water.

## SIR THOMAS LIPTON CONCLUDES HIS VISIT

Sir Thomas Lipton, who has been the guest of Mayor Fitzgerald in Boston, left the city this afternoon for New York, after visiting Harvard University and other places of interest in company with the mayor and his daughters Agnes and Rose. At Harvard he paid his respects to President Lowell and Robert Bacon, former ambassador to France. Fifteen years ago Mr. Bacon was the American representative on board the racing yacht Shamrock.

Sir Thomas, who is one of the trustees of Harvard resident in London, visited the stadium. He then went to the Boston City Club to attend a dinner. In the morning he spoke to the pupils of Dorchester high school on obedience.

Sir Thomas Lipton concludes his visit in Boston today, returning to New York from whence he expects to sail for home on Dec. 24. He says he has enjoyed his visit here as the guest of Mayor Fitzgerald.

The leading feature of the entertainment accorded him was the dinner given in his honor at the Copley-Plaza by the city last night. It was presided over by the mayor and attended by about 150 of Boston's citizens.

## MUSIC

### LONGY CLUB CONCERT

In Jordan hall Tuesday evening the Longy Club of wind instrument players appeared for the first time this season, presenting three works, one of them a novelty, the suite in B flat major for flutes, oboes, clarinets, horns and bassoons, by Richard Strauss. The other two selections were Carl Reinecke's "Undine" sonata for flute and piano, op. 107, and Mozart's quintet in E flat major, op. 452, for oboe, clarinet, horn and bassoon and piano.

The artists comprised the following: Flutes, A. Maquaire and A. Brooke; oboes, G. Longy and C. Lenon; clarinets, G. Grisez and P. Mimart; horns, F. Hain and H. Lorber; bassoons, P. Sadony and J. Mosbach; piano, A. de Voto. Assisting artists: W. Gebhardt and J. Phair, horns; M. Fuhrmann, contra-bassoon.

### OPERA REPERTORY

The return of Mmes. Melis and Gay and Mr. Zenatello and the possibility of Miss Fisher in a Saturday night presentation of "Boheme" are in the announcements of the fifth week at the Boston opera house. The repertory for the week of Dec. 23 will be as follows: Monday, "Louise," with the original cast; Wednesday, "Traviata," with Mme. Tetrazzini, Mr. Gaudenzi and Mr. Rossi; Friday, "Aida," with Mmes. Melis and Gay and Messrs. Zenatello, Mardones and Rossi; Saturday matinee, "Hansel and Gretel," with Mmes. Fisher, Swartz and Claessens and Mr. Goritz; followed by the ballet "Coppelia," Saturday evening, "Boheme," with either Miss Fisher or Mme. Melis in the soprano role, and with Mr. McCormack in the tenor part.

The Sunday afternoon orchestral concert on Dec. 22 will be the Russian program of the first concert repeated, with Mr. Marcoux, baritone, and George Proctor, pianist, assisting.

No dates for the appearance of Miss Frieda Hempel, the German coloratura singer, who is now on the sea on the way to America, are yet announced. New arrangements will have to be made for her, since she was to have sung in "Tales of Hoffman" and "Boheme," in which operas her part was taken by Miss Fisher and Miss Bori.

### MR. HUBBARD TALKS ON "JEWELS"

W. L. Hubbard, director of the publicity work of the Boston opera company, gave a talk at the Columbia Gramofon parlors Tuesday afternoon on Wolf-Ferrari's "The Jewels of the Madonna," which is to be produced later in the season at the opera house. Without soloist or accompanist Mr. Hubbard had the appreciative audience all to himself. He described the heroine of the new piece as a Neapolitan Carmen, and he said that those who attend a performance must put themselves in the attitude of the people of Naples in order to understand aright the dramatic motives. Putting themselves into sympathy with the title and place of the famous composition was necessary to their enjoyment of it. Mr. Hubbard gave a description of Naples, its color and its activity and showed how Wolf-Ferrari had realized both in his brilliant and lively lyric drama.

"Honesty of attitude toward music is the greatest essential in a listener," said Mr. Hubbard. "We should never pretend to like any music just because we think we ought to. Our own American rag time represents certain of our national traits, and so far as it does so sincerely we should not be ashamed for liking it."

Mr. Hubbard's next lecture will be at the Boston Art Club, Dec. 19, when the subject will be "Chapier's 'Louise'."

The opera house management announces Verdi's "Requiem" for the Sunday concert of Dec. 29, with orchestra and chorus and with Mmes. Amson and Gay and Messrs. McCormack and Mardones as soloists.

### MR. ARMSTRONG STARTS BUSINESS

PEABODY, Mass.—William Armstrong, for more than 20 years manager of the Armstrong Leather Company, which is owned by New York capital, has resigned to begin business on his own account.

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## POSTAL SAVINGS SHOW GROWTH VERMONT POWER DEVELOPING URGED

PORTLAND, Ore.—Transactions handled at the Portland Postal Savings Bank since it was established, Sept. 9, 1911, aggregate \$2,072,862, according to a report issued by Superintendent Carr. Of the grand total \$1,363,116 consisted of deposits and \$709,746 the amount withdrawn. This left a balance of \$663,370 on deposit Nov. 30.

In November 607 new accounts were opened, with an aggregate of 2735 deposits, representing a total of \$100,298. The net gain in deposits for the month was \$30,123, or a daily increase of over \$1000.

The balance of deposits on hand, \$653,370, represents the accounts of 5441 depositors, or an average of about \$121.

### \$10,000 FIRE IN WORCESTER.

WORCESTER, Mass.—The Taylor building, at the corner of Main and Chatham streets, early today was visited by fire, causing about \$10,000 damage. The building is occupied on the third floor by the Bemis Shoe Company, the Parisian, a woman's apparel shop; the Great Atlantic & Pacific Tea Company and the Ideal Lunch Company.

### ENTRANCE FOR ELECTRIC LINE

HAGERSTOWN, Md.—The mayor and council recently granted a franchise to the New Hagerstown Greenacres & Mercersburg Electric Railway Company to use the tracks and overhead construction of the proposed Hagerstown & Clearspring Electric Railway Company in entering the city.

Clarke C. Fitts of Brattleboro, president of the Vermont Bar Association, in an address before the Vermont Association of Boston at the Hotel Westminster last evening declared that Vermont can be rebuilt industrially, and the factories located beside farms, by harnessing undeveloped power in Vermont rivers.

"There is," said Mr. Fitts, "at least 2,000,000 undeveloped horsepower in Vermont that can easily be put in use, and the hauling of 12,000,000 tons of coal into Massachusetts would be saved each year by the development of the Deerfield river."

### ALLEGED CEMENT TRUST SUED

AUSTIN, Tex.—Alleged combination in restraint of trade and "fixing of prices" are grounds of the suit filed Tuesday by Attorney-General Walthall of Texas, against the Texas Portland Cement Company with headquarters in Dallas; the Southwestern States Portland Cement Company, Dallas; the Southwestern Portland Cement Company, El Paso, and the Alamo Cement Company, San Antonio. Penalties aggregating \$7,600,000 are asked.

### WOMAN CALLS FIREMEN.

CONCORD, Mass.—The state armory was damaged by fire here early Tuesday morning. Firemen, promptly notified by a Mrs. Johnson, who lives nearby, confined damage to the headhouse. Loss is estimated at \$10,000.

## ALFRED STICKLEY THE CRAFTSMAN

## 10% Discount Sale On Craftsman Lamps and Lamp Shades

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# Real Estate Market News T Wharf Activities Sailings

## REAL ESTATE NEWS

A Back Bay residence to change hands recently with deed recorded today is the estate located 231 Marlboro street, near Exeter street, a four story octagon brick building and 1032 square feet of land. The total assessment is \$20,500 and of this amount the lot carries \$10,600. Francis E. Burgess, the owner, conveys title to Mabel W. Thomson.

### WEST END AND SOUTH END

Isaac Gronich has just bought an improved property, situated at 9 Bowdoin street, near Cambridge street, West End, consisting of a 3 1/2-story well front brick dwelling, and lot containing 2100 square feet. The total assessment amounts to \$15,000. The land value is \$10,500. Max Zieman made the deal.

Dora S. Olt has placed a deed on record transferring the estate at 32 Newcomb street, between Washington and Reed streets, from Martha Lowe. There is a three story brick dwelling on 832 square feet of land valued by the assessors at \$2100.

### DORCHESTER AND ROXBURY

Silas E. Parsons has sold the frame two-apartment house at 60 Humphreys street, Dorchester, for Phoebe A. Houghton to Nellie A. Nixon, who buys for a home. There is a total assessment of \$7400, of which \$2200 is on the 3744 square feet of land.

The single frame dwelling house and large lot of ground at 85 Ocean street, near Welles avenue, has passed out of the possession of Harold W. and William T. Eaton. Lucinda A. Piffon is the buyer. The improvements are taxed on \$9000 and the 12,000 square feet of land carry \$3400 additional.

Final papers have gone to record in the sale of Alice I. Howard's single frame dwelling, 39 Warner street, near Kingsdale street, together with 5504 square feet of land. All is taxed for \$7000. The land carries \$1700. Ernest W. Ellis is the buyer.

Another Dorchester property reported sold today is on Bowman, near Blackwell street. It is a single frame house and 3188 square feet of land. The property is assessed for \$3700, including \$500 on the lot. Bridget Long conveys title for herself and as administratrix, to John T. Mullage.

Title to the estate 91 Buttonwood street, near Mt. Vernon street, has passed from Dennis J. Driscoll to Mary E. Farmer. The premises consist of a single frame dwelling and 3500 square feet of land. All is assessed for \$2500, of which the land carries \$1100.

The three-story frame house, known and described as 6 and 8 Elbert street, near Humboldt avenue, Roxbury, assessed in the name of Hyman C. Bornstein, has been purchased by Peter E. Baril. The lot contains 2007 square feet, is taxed for \$1000, and the house carries \$4000 additional.

Rudolph H. Apelt has conveyed title to Pauline Schroeder on a parcel of vacant land, fronting on Wait street, near Hill street, valued at \$500. It contains 1922 square feet.

### CHARLESTOWN AND EAST BOSTON

George T. Horan has purchased from Herbert E. Wright, for the purpose of improving with modern apartments, three frame houses at 16 and 18 Union street, near Main street, also the rear of 16 Union street, including 3676 square feet of land. The entire property is assessed for \$11,500, land value being \$3500.

Frank Ricciardi et al are the names of purchasers of an improved property 195 Lexington street, corner of Putnam, East Boston. It is taxed to Nathan Blacklow at \$4800, and \$800 of this amount covers the 1150 square feet of land.

### SALE AT NEWTON CENTER

Alford Brothers have sold for A. M. Beers to Charles W. Hawkes, a lot of land on Saxon road, Newton Center, containing 8025 square feet, on which the new owner has already commenced the erection of a single house for his own occupancy.

### MAINE SEASHORE PLACE SOLD

The Chapin Farm Agency has sold for the owner, Harry E. Clark, his summer home situated on Main street on the state road overlooking the ocean in the town of Wells, York county, Maine, comprising a residence of nine rooms, together with a stable and outbuildings. There is one acre of land with a variety of fruit. The estate was sold to M. Ferguson of Kennebunk, Me., who has already taken possession.

### OFFER MADE TO FIREMEN

NEW YORK—A conference of managers of 50 eastern railroads and representatives of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen is being held today on an offer from the former to adjust difference, if the firemen waive their demands for two firemen on certain heavy types of engines. The offer of the managers states that there would be a minimum total increase of \$15,134,000 instead of \$4,000,000 claimed by the firemen on their original demands.

### EDUCATION EXPERTS HERE

C. G. Schulz, state superintendent of education of Minnesota, and G. M. Phillips, his assistant, were guests of Dr. David Snedden, Massachusetts state commissioner of education, yesterday. Mr. Schulz is making tour of the eastern states, investigating the methods of administration of the various schools, giving especial attention to rural schools.

## SUFFOLK REGISTRY TRANSFERS

The following list of property comprises the latest recorded transfers taken from the official report of the Real Estate Exchange:

**BOSTON (City Proper)**  
Louis Ziemann to Isaac Gronich, Bowdoin st. and Coolidge ave.; q. \$1.  
Abraham N. Khoury to Michael N. Khoury et al, Hudson st.; q. \$1.  
Francis E. Burgess to Mabel W. Thomson, Marlboro st.; w. \$1.  
Willard Emery to David W. Emory, Dartmouth st., Pleasant st. and Fayette st.; Pleasant st. and Fayette st.; q. \$1.  
Gisella Bernstein, mtgee. to Gisella Bernstein, Village st.; d. \$500.  
Patricia Louise to Dora S. Olt, Newcomb st.; q. \$1.

### ROXBURY

Hiltingham Instn. for Sav. mtgee. to Ernest E. Lincoln, Humboldt av.; d. \$3000.  
William E. Tolson to Hingham Instn. for Sav.; Humboldt av.; q. \$1.  
Rudolph H. Apelt to Pauline Schroeder, Wait st.; q. \$1.  
Peter E. Baril to Hyman C. Bornstein, Washington st.; q. \$1.  
Hyman C. Bornstein to Peter E. Baril, Elbert st.; q. \$1.  
Richard H. Hynes to Hollis P. Gale, Woodbine st.; w. \$1.  
Bridget Dolan to Francis A. Reynolds, Francis A. Reynolds to Julia A. Hourihan, Walcott st.; q. \$1.

### SOUTH BOSTON

Dennis J. Driscoll to Mary E. Farmer, National st.; w. \$1.  
John Hayes to William N. Swain, Beckler av.; w. \$1.  
William E. Swain to John Hayes et al., Beckler av.; w. \$1.  
Anna J. Low to Mary E. Lang, Meridian st.; w. \$1.  
Mayo et al. to Clarence D. Beach, Lexington st., Lexington st.; 2 pcs.; q. \$1.  
Nathan Blacklow to Frank Ricciardi et al., Lexington and Putnam sts.; w. \$1.

### DORCHESTER

Theodore H. Tyndale, mtgee. to Thomas H. Maloney, Stockton st.; d. \$200.  
Dennis J. Driscoll to Mary E. Farmer, Buttonwood st.; w. \$1.  
Bridget Dolan, admx., to John T. Mullage, Boston st.; d. \$4000.  
Harold W. Eaton to Lucinda A. Patton, Ocean st.; 2 lots; q. \$1.  
William T. Eaton to Lucinda A. Patton, Ocean st.; 2 lots; rel. \$1.  
Susan M. Smith to Mary E. Dignan et al., Savin Hill av.; q. \$1.  
James Lyons to Anna J. Jordan, pag. from Granville way; w. \$1.  
William E. Tolson et al. to Frederick J. Rockwell, Washington st.; q. \$1.  
Widely Savings Bank to Rosa A. Kelley, a mortgage, to John T. Mullage, Frederick J. Rockwell, Washington st.; q. \$1.  
Alice I. Howard to Ernest W. Ellis, Warner ave. and Bernard st., Warner and Bernard sts.; q. \$1.  
Margaret Longman et al. to Margaret Allen, Neponset ave.; d. \$860.  
Isaac Greenburg et al., mtgees., to Isaac Greenburg et al., Arbutus st.; d. \$1000.  
Isaac Greenburg et al. to Rhoda Isenberg; q. \$1.

### WEST ROXBURY

Herman Weiss to Samuel Rosenthal, Belgrade and Dudley aves.; w. \$1.  
Thomas M. Smith to Sarah M. Casill, passageway; w. \$1.  
William S. Sherman to Lillian G. Sherman, Sycamore st.; q. \$1.  
Lillian G. Sherman to Adeline Markstrom, Sycamore st.; w. \$1.  
Evelina Donlevy to Christopher T. Donlevy, Bellevue av.; w. \$1.

### BRIGHTON

Commonwealth Av. Trust to Benjamin Levine, Commonwealth av., 3 lots, Walbridge st.; d. \$1.  
Celia Lavinsky to Bessie Hurwich, Raymond and Athol sts.; q. \$1.

### CHARLESTOWN

Herbert E. Wright to George T. Horan, Union st.; q. \$1.

### HYDE PARK

Maud M. Potchery to William H. Rickson, Glenwood av.; w. \$1.  
George T. Horan to Ella F. Reynolds, Central av.; rel. \$1.

### CHELSEA

Alexander Leslie to Charles K. Badger, Laurel and Garland sts.; w. \$1.  
Charles K. Badger to Alexander Leslie, Tr. Laurel and Garland sts.; q. \$1.  
Frank V. Connelley to Rosina Gagne, Englewood av., 2 lots; q. \$1.  
J. Henry Wheeler et al. to Frank I. Weston, Blossom and Maple sts.; d. \$1.

### WINTHROP

Sidney M. Harrington to Edith M. Harrington, Loring rd.; w. \$1.  
Financ. Corporation Bank, mtgee., to George B. Lane, Cirdstone rd.; d. \$250.  
Harriet L. Holcombe to Ella E. Morse, Beachland av.; q. \$1.  
Augusta Hanson to Katherine McAvra, Barrett st.; w. \$1.

### BUILDING NOTICES

Permits to construct, alter or repair buildings were posted in the office of the building commissioner of the city of Boston today as printed below. Location, owner, architect and nature of work are named in the order here given:  
Parsons st., 153, ward 25; John H. Wish-land; frame dwelling; w. \$1.  
Oakland st., 338, ward 2; G. Boret; frame dwelling.  
West Third st., 28-30, ward 13; T. W. Doherty; alter offices.  
Washington st., 3201-03, ward 23; Martin Gella, J. J. Driscoll; alter stores, etc.  
Columbus av., 168, ward 22; Albert Engle; fire store.  
Tremont st., 30-31, ward 7; C. E. Cutting, Tr. Bigelow & Wadsworth; alter stores and offices.  
Norfolk st., 802, ward 23; Anderson A. Paige; alter store and dwelling.

### EXPLOSION CAUSE FOUND

Sergt. Orrin White of the Cambridge police department, who with other officers investigated the cause of the explosion which broke several Harvard student dormitory windows at Claverly hall, Cambridge, today, said he was convinced it was the result of smashing a bottle of nitro-glycerine. On the wall of the building there is a white streak and a broken bottle was found in the yard. He expects the proctors of the university to investigate further.

### HAWAIIAN STAMPS SHOWN

What is said to be the finest collection of Hawaiian stamps in this part of the country was exhibited by the man who made the collection, L. L. Green, teller of the Suffolk Savings Bank, at the monthly meeting of the Boston Philatelic Society last night in the Tremont building.

### MORE MAINE RELICS COME

NEW YORK—Two machine guns, a gun carriage and nine cases of relics from the battleship Maine, arrived in New York from Havana on Tuesday on the steamship Havana. They will be forwarded to Washington.

## HAVERHILL GAS CASE RESERVED FOR FULL BENCH

Judge Morton of the supreme court today reserved for the full bench the information brought by the attorney-general at the request of William D. T. Treffy, commissioner of corporations, against the Haverhill Gas Light Company to restrain the latter from transferring its physical property to the Haverhill Gas Company. The attorney-general contends that the proposed action of the company, which has a petition pending before the board of gas and electric light commissioners, for leave to issue stock, is a plan to enable the company to avoid the law requiring stock to be sold at par and to permit the sale of stock at market price.

The company asserts that to prevent it from carrying out its plans would be a violation of the federal and state constitution.

## CROSS-TOWN LINE IN NEWBURYPORT GETS APPROVAL

Approval was given by the railroad commissioners today to the Citizens Electric Street Railway Company to operate a new service in Newburyport, which will save about 15 minutes to persons in certain parts of the city on their way to the railroad station.

The new section will extend along Winter street, from near the corner of Washington, easterly to Pleasant street, and in Pleasant street to a point about 30 feet east of Titcomb street. The route is a direct cut across the city.

## TOWN HAS VEXED WATER PROBLEM

WAKEFIELD, Mass.—Four protracted town meetings have failed to settle the question of abandoning the town's water supply and going into the metropolitan system and the one held Tuesday night adjourned to Jan. 6, when it will again go over to Jan. 13, the town hall being otherwise engaged that night. A new contribution to the discussion is made by Alonzo D. Moran, a Wakefield and Boston lawyer, who points to the difference between the consumption indicated by the metropolitan meters in the 145 days when the town used that service and the present estimate, a jump from 578,000 gallons a day to 700,000 and accounts for it on the ground that water is going to waste through leaky mains that have not been changed in 30 years, with the conclusion that if the town's system were put in condition Crystal Lake, its source, would be overrunning.

## SOUTH BOSTON SOCIETY TO ELECT

Officers will be elected and two proposals for admission to membership will be considered at the thirty-second annual meeting of the South Boston Citizens Association in Gray's hall on Thursday evening. The proposed members are George E. Hildreth, 401 K street, and William N. Cronin, 29 L street. Much work of a civil nature has been done by this association during the past year, and it was active in the establishment of the new aquarium and in securing a new municipal building for South Boston, the work on which is now progressing.

## CITY'S OVERSEER OF POOR RESIGNS

NEWTON, Mass.—Ernest R. Lowe, overseer of the poor of the city of Newton, today sent his resignation to Mayor Charles E. Hatfield, to take effect at once. Mr. Lowe is to enter newspaper work in the West. Oswald J. McCourt has been appointed to fill the position pro tem. The position carries a salary of \$1500.

## HARVARD OFFICIALS TESTIFY

CHICAGO—In the government hearings preliminary to the coming trial intended to dissolve the so-called Harvester trust, H. L. Daniels, head of the fiber and twine department of the International Harvester Company, testified that he handled \$100,000 option money for purchase of the Milwaukee Harvester Company, giving to P. D. Middlekauff at the direction of George W. Perkins, C. S. Funk, general manager of the International Harvester Company, who testified that he did not know where papers relating to the formation of the company were filed, was instructed to discover the papers or the person responsible for them.

## COMMERCE EXPERT TO SPEAK

A. H. Baldwin, chief of the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce of the department of commerce and labor, at Washington, will discuss foreign trade opportunities and the methods by which manufacturers can cooperate with the government in taking advantage of them, at the annual banquet of the New England Shoe & Leather Association and the Boston Boot and Shoe Club at the Hotel Somerset tonight.

## FIRST CORREGGIO SHOWN

NEW YORK—The Metropolitan Museum of Art hung Tuesday the first painting by Correggio to be exhibited at the museum, and so far as Curator Bryson Burroughs could recall, the first example of the great Italian painter's work to reach this country.

## SHIPPING NEWS

Several fishing vessels came in from Cape Shore today with large fares. This, combined with a lighter demand, caused dealers prices to drop slightly over the figures of Tuesday. Eleven sail were at T wharf, including the new schooner Ruth. Arrivals: Alice 37,500 pounds, Ruth 40,300, Imperator 5,500, Pontiac 60,500, Mildred E. Robinson 42,000, Elva L. Spurling 11,700, Richard J. Numan 13,400, Lillian 2500, W. H. Clement 2500, Nellie 2000 and W. H. Reed 2300. The Ruth also brought in 500 pounds of halibut and the Imperator 400. Quotations: Steak cod \$8.75, haddock \$6.25, pollock \$2.75, large hake \$7.25, medium hake \$4.25, and cusk \$3.50.

Completing her maiden voyage to the fishing grounds, the new schooner Ruth, Capt. William Devine, arrived at T wharf today with more than 40,000 pounds of fresh groundfish. She has been out three weeks and cruised on Cape shore. The Ruth is a 90-ton craft, is 103 feet long and 11.1 feet deep. She was only recently completed at Essex, to replace the schooner Leo, burned at sea early this year. Captain Devine and his crew, who were rescued from the Leo, are now in the Ruth. The new boat is owned in Boston.

Capt. Leslie Coffill of the schooner Mildred E. Robinson, which reached T wharf today from Cape Shore, reports the loss of A. Leslie Smith of Bass Harbor, Me., one of the crew on Thanksgiving day. The dory was swamped by heavy seas while returning to the schooner loaded with fish.

Shipping was interrupted today by the heavy fog which enclosed the bay. Many local steamers were late, while the big Leyland liner Devonian from Liverpool was held at quarantine several hours before she could come up to her berth. Small craft remained anchored or sought shelter in the harbor.

After encountering adverse conditions in the bay of Fundy during the past three weeks, the American schooner F. H. Odiorne has been towed to Flagg Cove, at Grand Manan, N. B. The schooner is full of water and will be taken to St. John, N. B., for repairs. With a load of lumber she sailed from St. John Nov. 26 for New York, but was unable to clear the bay. The vessel was built at Newburyport in 1871, registers 307 tons and hails from New York.

Martin Shields, a member of the crew of the fishing schooner Manomet, Captain Price, was lost off Thatchers island Monday afternoon, it is reported, while pulling trawls. The Manomet berthed at T wharf yesterday afternoon.

Excellent steaming conditions during the long voyage from Calcutta and Colombo were reported by the officers of the steamship Scharfels, Captain Stryker, which reached port yesterday. The Hansa liner brought a cargo of tea, gunnies and hides.

It is reported that the Danish steamship Dania, which was expected to reach port soon from Copenhagen, has put into Queentown with a damaged propeller. A new propeller will probably be provided, and the vessel will then resume the transatlantic trip.

Twenty-six men, comprising the crew of the Norwegian bark Nordstern, were rescued by the steamer Ederian, and are now being carried to Buenos Aires.

## CITY'S OVERSEER OF POOR RESIGNS

## TWO WILLS MAKE PUBLIC BEQUESTS

DEDHAM, Mass.—Public bequests allowed in the Norfolk probate court today by Judge James H. Flint are as follows:

By the will of Willard Y. Gross, Brookline, Susan M. Gross, executrix, \$1000 each to the Duxbury Rural Society for the preservation of the Standish monument and the Pilgrim Congregational church of Duxbury.

By the will of Martha J. Bradley of Randolph, Charles F. Weedon of Boston, and Austin B. Bassett of Hartford, Conn., executrices, \$1000 to the trustees of Illinois College, the income to be used for assisting worthy students; \$1000 to the first parish of Randolph, connected with the Congregational church, and \$200 to the Woman's Board of Missions of Boston.

## FIFTEEN-MILE HIKE FOR THE HOLIDAY

The Municipal Athletic Association announces a cross-country hike of 15 miles for Christmas forenoon, with an opportunity for those who wish a shorter distance to make a hike of 7 1/2 miles. The hike is to be open to everybody over 16, whether resident of Boston or not. Trophies will be awarded Boston participants only. Others will receive certificates.

## ASSISTANT SECRETARY NAMED

Carl F. A. Siedhof, formerly chief clerk to the general manager of the New England Telephone & Telegraph Company, is to fill the new position of assistant secretary. The executive committee on Tuesday created the new office and selected Mr. Siedhof. He will work in conjunction with the secretary, E. W. Longley, who is also general auditor.

says a despatch from the South American city. While en route from Pensacola to Santos the bark was lost on Dec. 13.

Sailing from New York on the United Fruit Company's steamship Almirante, bound for Kingston, Colon, Cartagena, Puerto Colombia and Santa Marta, were R. B. Hopkins, D. Henderson, S. Morganshalla, B. Morganchalla and J. Wallace of Boston; Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Alexander of Winsted, Conn.; Edward Booton and A. Kirk of Providence; William J. Fallon, James H. Punderson, A. F. Treadway and H. I. Treadway of Stockbridge, Mass.; Miss Josephine Hals and Alexander Mathalie of Winsted; W. W. McKibben and Mrs. McKibben and C. R. Rym of Worcester, and a large number of New York and western tourists.

### PORT OF BOSTON

**Arrived**  
Str Devonian (Br), Trant, Liverpool.  
Str Governor Dingley, Lincoett, Portland.  
Str City of Gloucester, Linneken, Gloucester, Mass.  
Tug Gettysburg, Minford, Philadelphia, towing bges Suffolk, Coleraine and Langhorne.  
Tug Orion, Doane, New York, towing bgs Rondout, and Hawthorne.  
Tug Vesta, Kemp, Lynn, twg bge 780.  
Tug James Wooley, Pierce, Scituate, twg bge Thomaston.  
Tug E. L. Pillsbury, Swim, Lynn, twg bge Flora, for Hampton roads.  
Str William Chisholm, Newport News, twg bge Mary B. Mitchell.  
Lighthouse tender Azalea, Bartow, Woods Hole, twg lightship No. 5 (Cross Rip).

**Cleared**  
Str Indian, Payne, Philadelphia.  
Str Governor Dingley, Lincoett, Portland.

**Sailed**  
Tug Carlisle, Philadelphia, twg bgs Matanavya and Cocosing.  
Strs Indian, Baltimore via Newport News; Vinland (Nor), New York; H F Dimock, do; tg Perth Amboy, for Gloucester; Gettysburg, Philadelphia, twg bgs Beechwood, Indian Ridge and Richardson.  
**NEW YORK ARRIVALS**  
Strs Tagus, Southampton via Barbados and Kingston; Columbia, Glasgow and Mobile; Berlin, Mediterranean ports; Manhattan, Antwerp; Laconia, Mediterranean ports; Matanzas, Tampico and Havana.

## SMOKE ABATEMENT SAVES \$5,000,000

ST. LOUIS—That St. Louis has gained in the neighborhood of \$5,000,000 annually by the abatement of the smoke nuisance is the statement issued by the Women's Organization for Smoke Abatement.

Cincinnati loses \$8,000,000 a year by the smoke nuisance, and Cleveland \$6,000,000, according to conservative estimates. Overshadowing both cities is the enormous annual loss of \$50,000,000 suffered by Chicago.

Just what the smoke nuisance cost St. Louis each year never has been learned exactly, as there never has been an expert investigation, but it is fair to state that this city at least averaged as highly as either Cleveland or Cincinnati.

## ANNEXATION TO BOSTON DECIED

BRAINTREE, Mass.—No annexation to Boston was voted by the Philergians, a woman's club of this town, yesterday, after a debate. The principal reasons affecting the result were the possibility of license and the loss of the citizens' individuality in the town meetings. These prevailed against the possibility of more schools, metropolitan water, an improved sewerage system and an up-to-date fire department.

## OIL TANKS ARE PROTESTED

Erection of 10 tanks to store 200,000 gallons of petroleum at the foot of Roland street, East Somerville, was discussed yesterday by Mayor Burns, City Solicitor Kaan, Chief Engineer Rich and Building Commissioner Littlefield at a conference with Deputy Chief Neil of the state police. The proposed location has aroused such a protest from the citizens that the mayor decided to give a hearing on the subject before approving or vetoing the license granted to the Gulf Refining Company.

## PACKING EMPLOYEES ASK RAISE

Demands for an increase in pay for the employees of the North Packing & Provision Company of Somerville are under consideration by the management today, said William P. Liston, the superintendent. He said he thought an agreement would be reached without delay. The employees at the John P. Squires & Company plant also have demanded an increase. Altogether there are about 1200 persons affected.

## "DAKOTA DAN" ON STAND

Robert W. Nason, attorney for the Russell estate at Melrose, cross-examined "Dakota Dan" in the East Cambridge court today in regard to testimony which he gave at a former hearing in the probate court. Most of the answers which the Dakotan gave consisted of the words "I do not know."

## ATLANTIC AND PACIFIC SAILINGS

This schedule is compiled from advance lists and is subject to change without notice.

Transatlantic Sailings		
EASTBOUND		
Sailings from New York		
Finland, for Dover-Antwerp.....	Dec. 18	
France, for Havre.....	Dec. 19	
Barbarossa, for Bremen.....	Dec. 19	
Halle, for Liverpool.....	Dec. 19	
Halle, for Havre.....	Dec. 21	
Pennsylvania, for Hamburg.....	Dec. 21	
Columbia, for Glasgow.....	Dec. 21	
Metha, for London.....	Dec. 21	
Philadelphia, for Southampton.....	Dec. 21	
Alice, for Naples-Trieste.....	Dec. 21	
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The Christmas Idler is to give two performances this year, tonight and Friday. The play is "Eager Heart," a Christmas miracle. Play was written by Miss A. M. Buckton.

## PROGRESSIVES TO ANNOUNCE ENVOYS

WASHINGTON—That the committee of seven which is to visit Europe to study government questions in behalf of the Progressive party will be named when the executive committee meets in New York next Thursday, is announced by Senator Dixon, Progressive party chairman. Merrill McCormick of Chicago and Dr. Walter Weyl of New York were named in Chicago, and Mr. Dixon said it was certain that Meyer Liser of California would be added to the list.

GRAIN RECEIPTS AT ONTARIO PORT KINGSTON, Ont.—During the season of navigation just closing the amount of grain received at Kingston was 14,108,595 bushels. Of this amount 13,325,103 bushels went to Montreal via the St. Lawrence. There were 173 cargoes from the Welland canal to this port. The amount of coal received here from lake ports was 46,227 tons.

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J. Edward Barry, mayor of Cambridge, and members of the city council are expected to attend the annual assembly of the Cambridge Firemen's Relief Association tonight. The gathering will be in St. Mary's hall, Prospect and Harvard streets. Jeremiah Hayes, president, will be chief marshal.

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LOS ANGELES, Cal.—Col. Charles Sumner Young, a resident of Los Angeles county, is understood to have declared he will no longer remain on the bonds of Clarence S. Darrow, who is awaiting his second trial on a charge of bribing a juror in the McNamara case. The bond is \$25,000.

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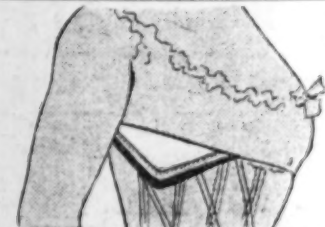
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Creamed eggs and cheese—Cook together a tablespoonful each of butter and flour until they bubble, pour upon them 1½ cups of milk and stir until your sauce is smooth and thickened. Put in then a half cupful of grated dairy cheese and cook until this is melted and blended with the sauce. Have ready four hard-boiled eggs, cut the whites from the yolks and chop the whites fine. Add them to the sauce, season with a scant teaspoonful of salt and a dash of cayenne or paprika and turn upon buttered toast laid in a hot dish. Put the yolks through a vegetable press and strew over the tops of the whites and sauce.

Baked cheese puff—Soak a small cupful of fresh bread crumbs in two cupfuls of warm milk, beat in a tablespoonful of melted butter and a saltspoonful of salt and three eggs whipped light. Add a cupful of grated cheese and a pinch of red pepper, turn into a buttered pudding dish, cover and bake in a hot, steady oven for 15 minutes. Uncover, brown, and serve at once in the dish in which it was cooked. This puff falls quickly and should not be allowed to stand before it is eaten.

Chèvre corn soufflé—Make a white sauce as already directed, stir into it a cupful of grated cheese, and when this is blended add a cupful of canned corn drained from liquid and chopped fine. Put in the well-beaten yolks of three

eggs; season to taste with salt and pepper, and then add the stiffly beaten whites of the eggs. Bake in a buttered bake dish in a moderate oven for half an hour.

Corn and tomato with cheese—Cook a sliced onion for five minutes in a tablespoonful of butter; remove the onion, put in a heaping cupful of grated cheese, and stir until this is melted. Have ready a cupful of drained and chopped corn and half a cupful of thick cream, tomato, free from lumps and sweetened with a teaspoonful of white sugar. Put this with the cheese, stir well, and when all are heated, add slowly the beaten yolks of two eggs. Cook one minute, season with a teaspoonful of salt and a pinch of cayenne, and serve on buttered toast.

Macaroni and ham—Break a half-pound of macaroni into inch lengths; boil it tender in hot salted water. Make a white sauce of a tablespoonful each of butter and flour, and a cupful of milk, put into this the macaroni and a cupful of cold boiled ham chopped fine and seasoned with a pinch of dry mustard and a little red pepper. Add a beaten egg and turn the mixture into a buttered pudding dish. Strew bread crumbs and grated cheese over the top and bake, covered, for half an hour, then uncover and brown.

Savoring rice with ham—Boil a cupful of rice in two quarts of salted water for 20 minutes, having the water at a galloping boil when the rice goes in. Drain and add to it a cupful of hot milk, into which you have stirred two raw eggs, two tablespoonfuls of grated cheese and a saltspoonful of butter. Mix well, add half a cupful of boiled ham, chopped fine; put into a greased mold and steam for an hour and a half. Turn out on a flat dish and pour over it a sauce made by cooking together a tablespoonful each of butter and flour with a cupful of milk, and when these are smooth, stirring into it a tablespoonful of grated cheese. Salt and pepper to taste.



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Separate sleeves that are sewed into coat at the long shoulder line make an interesting feature, for they are not the newest, and the kimono arrangement perfect safety for the gown.

This coat is trimmed with band fur and the treatment is an excellent effect is obtained by leaving the plain and making the collar and cuffs fur. Velvet and wool velours are exceedingly handsome treated in this way.

For the medium size, the coat will require 6½ yards of material 27 or yards 44 or 52 inches wide with 6½ yd. of fur banding.

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The spreading jabots are much vogue. They may be square, pointed, rounded, tucked or frilled, but should be made of shadowed lace.

### HOUSE GOWNS

Even the indoor gown has felt the influence of drapery this season, and the draping is more loosely artistic because of the construction of the gown. With the passing of kimono lines something distinctly new is necessary.

Crepes de chine and the jacquard silks make the best lounging gowns because they stand careful laundering. For those who like something warmer the so-called French flannel comes in lovely shades, and is also washable, and even warmer are the smart corduroy frocks, easily freshened.

Most lounging robes are made on empire lines, that is to say, with the raised waist line, as one does not wish to wear a corset underneath, and this cut conceals the lack of it to best advantage, according to the Indianapolis News. When drapery is used it is draped into the waist line and the hem leveled off afterward, or the drapery is arranged so as to be caught up into a convenient seam.

The East Indian house gown, which is nothing more nor less than the closed kimono shaped nightgown with not quite so much fullness, is very good for the satin and cloth, as it falls in prettily to the figure and shows off the embroidery.

### RIBBON RUCHES

When taffetas arrived in the spring of 1912, together with paniers and frills, it was inevitable that ribbons should become fashionable and ribbon is the ideal material for ruching. Evening coats have gauged ribbon borders, plain tailor-made costumes of cloth and velvet are banded with ribbon, while ribbon silk floral sprays and ribbon bows for neckwear have never been in greater vogue, says the Indianapolis News.

Ribbon is extensively introduced in the evening stole and muff with excellent effect, and lingerie is never complete unless it is ribbon-run and adorned with ribbon bows. Even if we do find the directorate divided, skirt a satisfactory substitute for the ordinary frilled lingerie for wear with tailcoats, there are negligees and tea-gowns, dressing gowns, boudoir caps and other feminine accessories on which ribbon is essential to attractiveness.

### MUFFS AND STOLES

There appears to be no limit to the size of muffs and stoles this season, but the wise woman will see that the lining of her granny muff is ruched up so as to leave but a small aperture for the hands; otherwise she will derive but little advantage from the fur as far as warmth is concerned, says the New Haven Journal-Courier. The long, wide stoles are without doubt both useful and becoming articles, and can be worn in many ways which insure the maximum amount of comfort, at the same time retaining the graceful appearance.

### RAFFIA ON HANGER

A novel kind of coat hanger is of raffia in gay colors, says the Hartford Courant. Thread a needle with the raffia and buttonhole the entire framework of a wire coat hanger in such a way that the puff comes on the inside of the opening of the ends. Over the hook put the buttonhole stitches so close that the metal is covered.

### NEW SASHES

Colored sashes with gold and crystal fringe falling at one side of the back are features of the newest models, says the Indianapolis News, and flowered mousselines, broads and rich moire souple are favored materials.

## CHAMELEON VELVETS IN FAVOR

Prominent in the gowns of Paris

CHAMELEON velvets are prominent among the new materials for afternoon gowns and evening toilettes. Of the softest and most facile texture imaginable, in exquisite blendings of violet and royal or old blue, prune and yellow or copper and Nile green, they lend themselves readily to the draping schemes of the present mode in skirts. When a japon line is apparently carelessly arranged folds about the figure or has its lines broken by a loosely draped broad sash of matching material partially encircling and hobbling the knees before merging with the train, its texture must needs be yielding. And that is the distinguishing characteristic of the chameleon velvets, writes the Paris correspondent of the Chicago Inter Ocean.

The same compliment may be paid to a novelty velvet having a finely ribbed grounding broadened with large flowers and to the new taffetas, moires, satins and crepes de chine having patterns that are prominently outlined in order to produce the raised appearance of the designs on the figured velvets. No matter how scant may be the thin velvet or the broadened silk-skirt, it is certain to have a false facing of broadcloth, serge, cashmere or some other worsted material which will weight it down without making it look stiff. The effect must invariably be soft, yielding, clinging and scanty.

Scantiness is a grievance voiced by more than one English matron possessed of thrifty habits along with a laudable ambition to be smartly garbed. "Now that only four or five yards of material are needed for a gown," she grumbles, "your great couturiers demand prices as extortionate as ever they did when twice or thrice as much velvet or satin or silk was being used." This type of shopper from John Bull's island does not realize that it is the supreme sartorial art of our couturiers that she is asked to pay for rather than for the materials of the costumes upon which that art is expended.

Most of the afternoon gowns are lavishly trimmed with furs. It is not unusual to see broad bands of fur bordering the bottom of a skirt, "hobbling" it above the knees, finishing the elbow sleeves of its accompanying bodice, edging its Medici collar and worked into narrow epaulets.

A grande dame of the old regime wore a racoon-bordered gun-gray velvet underskirt and a knee-length, sleeved-tunic or Russian blouse of silver gray velvet, outlined with the same sort of fur. The fronts of the blouse fastened from the left side of the collar diagonally to the front center of the hips in an entirely novel manner. A cording of antique silver lined outlined a series of deeply curved small scallops buttonholed to fit over tiny gun metal buttons. The effect of this costume was chic to a degree, yet delightfully simple and the acme of refined taste.

Racoon is one of the fashionable pelts which a very few years ago were considered too commonplace and too cheap to be possible for anything save a motor coat lining. But now that the once despised civet cat, undyed and easily recognized, is being exploited for the beauty of its distinct white markings on black, racoon holds an honored place in fur marts.

Just at present, the tailor-made frock suit is occupying considerable attention for it is the stand-by morning street costume of the average Parisienne. The materials most in demand for these costumes are piece-dyed zibelines, soft ratons, napped worsteds like those used for men's business suits, wide wale diagonals and thick tweeds backed with Scotch plaid or English striping. They are exceedingly simple in cut and trimming.

### NEW COLOR SHADE

A new apricot shade with a mandarin tint is one of the successful colors for gowns for formal afternoon and evening affairs.—New York Press.

### CLUB WORK'S EFFECT ON WOMEN

THE woman's club movement has come to be recognized as an important factor in the civilization of today—perhaps the most important of any of the organized societies, because of its scope of work, writes Helen M. Winslow in the Delineator. A club can accomplish for a community what individual never can, and a federation can multiply by fifty what one club does.

Club work has made woman broader in her sympathies as well as her understanding. It has taught her to be tolerant of the views of those who differ with her. It has given her interests beyond the petty gossip her neighbors and friends. It has buried personal spite and jealousies, and, best of all, it has united women of all classes and creeds; it has forged a massive chain of earnest, active women—a chain which stretches from ocean to ocean in this great republic, a chain which binds American women into a vast army of workers for the benefit of humanity.

## MME. PAQUIN WRITES ON DRESS

Styles favored by the noted Paris couturiere

IN presenting an article by Mme. Paquin, the famous Paris couturiere, the Delineator says: One of the few women dressmakers of note in Paris, her work has been brilliantly successful. The career of a self-made woman—for Mme. Paquin over her success to neither position nor influence—a career that means hard work, deep study and great native ability, can not fail to be stimulating to other women, whether they are dressmakers or not. Her business amounts to \$12,000,000 a year.

Mme. Paquin writes as follows: My work as a dressmaker has been sufficiently varied to warrant my saying that I know the business from the bottom up. I took up designing very early in my career and I have had a very active part in creating and making my own models. This in addition to managing a business that employs 1500 ouvriers. My rue de la Paix establishment I fancy would strike you as rather insignificant on entrance. I have just a little box of an empire room on the street floor, crowded with lingerie, blouses and accessories. A wide stairway leads up to the show-room, done very simply in a neutral tone of gray that makes a good background for the dresses. The fitting-rooms are also very unpretentious and look out over broad window-ledge banks with flowers on the busy life of the rue de la Paix. The simplicity of my salons is more studied than it seems. My gowns are decidedly elaborate, sumptuous, very decorative in themselves.

The present styles are losing a little of the extreme modernity of look that has distinguished them for two years and are taking on something of the picturesque quality of period dresses. They all hark back more or less to the seventeenth century, and many of them are strongly reminiscent of the portraits of the Flemish school at that time. The deep pointed collars, the sleeves that bulge at the elbows, the broad, flat waistlines, low waisted coats and draped skirts are plagiarisms from the paintings of Rembrandt and Frans Hals. There are other influences at work as well, in the paniers of the Pompadour period, the cut of the new Louis Quatorze coats and the Renaissance and Medicean collars.

The lowered waistline that is used this season interests me very much, for I have been using it for several seasons and have been surprised that the general public has not taken it up sooner. One still sees a great deal of the raised and even the high waistline here in Paris, but I have favored the normal line for some time past. I either put my waistline right to the normal position or else drop it to the hips. I use the very long waistline a great deal in many of my new coats and in some of my dresses. When I use the normal waistline I make it large and flat and

so that the hips still appear amply proportioned with the waist size. I still wear loose girdles that give a straight, undeveloped figure that is amazingly youthful looking.

Almost all of my skirts are made of draperies, either paniers, draped in a spiral skirts. Little else is worn here, except for morning tailor-made. At tennoon tailors have a simple line of the drapery—frequently just a plain skirt across the front, not unlike the sheath skirt of six years ago. You take it as a safe rule, though, that day goes on the drapery becomes complicated and involved until it reaches its climax in dinner and ball gowns.

In the waists that I am making present it is to the collars and sleeves that I turn for the individuality of blouse. My afternoon gowns are all collarless or else made with an c throat and the high, flaring Medicean Marie Stuart collar. The flare collar almost always made of very beautiful lace and boned.

I am very fond of a sleeve that is decided fullness at the elbow, because it is new and becoming and picturesque. Sleeves are close-fitting below the elbow if they are long and if they are short set them into a wide flaring cuff.

### COPRA BUTTER

The dried kernel of coconuts is called copra. By a new process copra oil is produced and made into a kind of butter. Germany imported more than 112 metric tons last year of the crude oil. The best quality of copra comes from Malabar and is worth \$136 a ton. Spain large quantities of copra are reported, the oil extracted and used making soap. The butter made from copra is said to be excellent for cooking and for about 14 cents a pound. The shells are often used for road material and fertilizing. One planter in Florida is said to have sold his crop for \$15,000.—Youth's World.

### GOOD GEMS

Delicious gems are made with one two heaped tablespoonfuls of sugar, tablespoonfuls of butter, one pint flour with two rounding teaspoonful yeast powder, milk to make a rather thick batter, says an exchange. Bake quick oven.

### CHEAP KINDLING

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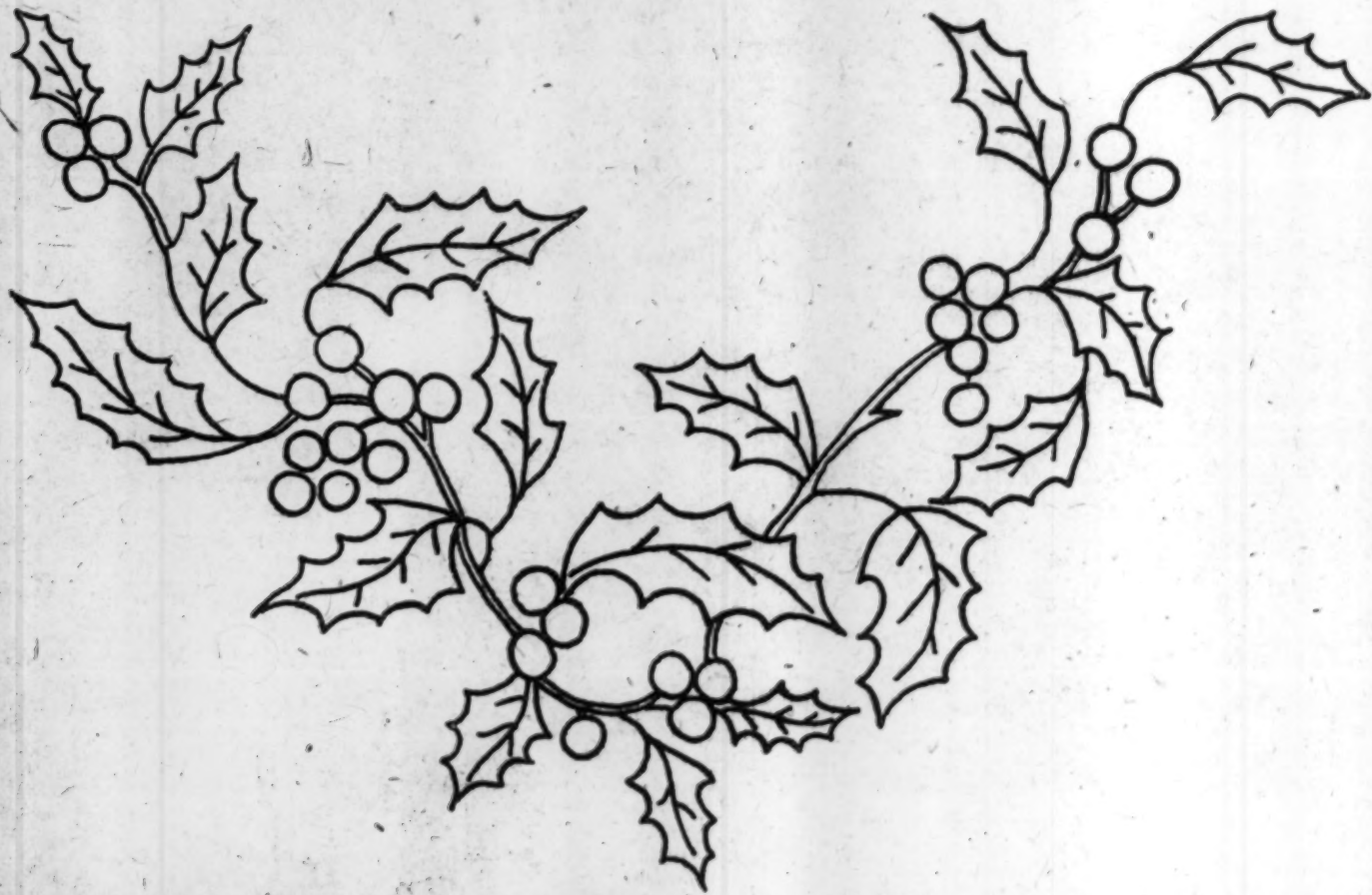
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## THE HOUSEHOLD

## HOLLY LEAF EMBROIDERY MOTIF FOR ADORNMENT OF A BLOUSE

Berries are worked solid and leaves are outlined in long and short stitch



## FINE LACE KEPT IN CABINETS

But sun and air are good for the delicate fabrics

IT is becoming quite the fashion among women of taste and culture to have cabinets made for their lace, fitted with a drawer at the base, into which lace that requires mending can be put. The lace that is exhibited in the cabinet is best shown upon a blue moire, a rose-colored velvet, or a pearl-gray satin background, to which it should be attached lightly with a few good steel pins.

Dust is a great enemy to lace, so the cabinet should be a well made one, with no chinks through which grime can penetrate. Fog is another antagonist to lace, marring it with soil and clinging dirt. It is unwise, therefore, to put on good lace on a foggy day, writes a contributor to Harper's Bazar.

Sun and air are excellent for lace, and that is why I recommend those who have lace stored away that they cannot wear, to expose it to the air from time to time before an open window on a clear fine day. This advice extends to black as well as white lace.

The sewing of lace should be undertaken with great care, and the point of attachment of the lace and the material should always be the fine edging which will be found on the lace. A fine needle with fine thread the exact color of the lace and stitches far apart should be employed if the lace has to be "caught down" in any way to the background material, and the stitches should be put into the work and flowers, not into the net or foundation.

As to the cleaning of it, that is, or should be, an act accomplished by expert workers; indeed, it must be if the lace

be valuable, to avoid depreciation of value, if not actual ruin. But the amateur may safely attempt the process, for small and unimportant pieces, if the following rules are closely observed.

First of all procure a smooth ironing-board covered with absolutely clean white linen, and over this fasten the lace, using for the purpose small pins, and next dab it with warm water, using a sponge for the process. Having dissolved in water some of the best yellow soap in the proportion of half an ounce to two pints of water, repeat the dabbing process with a sponge that has been soaked in the soapy water. Now remove all the soap by dabbing the lace with warm clear water, and after that leave the lace to dry, having previously removed all the moisture that it is possible to take away upon a dry sponge. Make it a rule never to iron old lace or to stiffen it in any way.

Some laces that are thick will not answer to the above process. They should be placed in an enameled saucepan in cold water in which the best yellow soap has been dissolved in the proportion of two ounces of soap to two pints of water. Bring the water in which the lace has been placed to boiling point; then remove the lace, rinse it in clear water, and pin it down to dry on a linen-covered board. Black lace wants an entirely different treatment, inasmuch as instead of using soap and water, vinegar should be employed for the dabbing process. The linen-covered board will once more come into requisition, and after the lace has been dabbed with vinegar it should be left to dry on the board.

## FLOWER PINCUSHION PRETTY

Made of white cardboard, silk and ribbons

TO MAKE a very pretty pincushion take a large piece of white cardboard and out of it cut two circles four and one half inches in diameter. Then from pretty silk cut two circles half an inch larger in diameter than the cardboard, so that you can easily cover the cardboard circles with the silk circles.

With a small gathering stitch sew all around the edges of the silk circles, then lay on a circle of the cardboard. Draw the gathers up and around the cardboard, covering the circle smoothly.

Do the same with the other circle, and when they are both covered place the uncovered sides face to face and overhand the edges of the two circles together.

Then take some narrow baby ribbon, and with one or two stitches catch it to the top of the silk circle. Pull it down over the edge, puffing it just a tiny bit, and with a little stitch sew it firmly. Keep on doing this until the edge of the circle is covered with the puffed baby ribbon.

Then make the flower. Cut five pieces of satin ribbon 1 1/2 inches wide into strips five inches long, and make a single knot in each piece. This knot makes the ribbon look like a flower petal. Double up each strip of the ribbon so that the two raw edges will be evenly together. Gather these and fasten with one or two stitches to the center of the cardboard circle.

Arrange the petals to look like a flower, and fasten with a stitch at the tip of each. Then cover a button with yellow silk, sew this in the center, and cover it with French knots.

Take a piece of baby ribbon a yard long, make a fluffy little bow at each

end, and sew the bows to the top of the pincushion, about two inches apart, to hang it by. The flower is pink; the silk circles, blue and pink.—Woman's Home Companion.

## BRAID TRIMMINGS

The revival of braid in various widths and makes as a trimming is very welcome, says the Montreal Star. It is difficult otherwise to find variety for the finish of the many fabrics which are in vogue for tailor suits. Ratine, of course, is in itself such a lovely material that it practically needs no trimming. A little wool work in oriental colorings is often introduced in the blouse and the cost of the "three-piece costume."

## FASHION BITS

Evening gowns have quite correct pointed or square trains, V shaped necks, a great deal of fur trimming, and the most striking shade used is apricot.

Sleeves made of soft flowing material show decided change. The bell sleeve is popular, but it is much modified and not nearly so baggy as it once was.—Washington Herald.

## CHILD'S COAT

A charming coat for a child is of cream rep silk, has a cape-collared neckline, and a small lace frill inside it, says the Chicago Journal. A tiny muff of the silk, with beaver edge, and white silk cord to place around the neck completes the costume.

THIS is a simple and effective motif for a blouse. The hollyberries are worked solid and the leaves are outlined in the long and short stitch. The stems are done in the outline stitch and also the veins in the leaves. A few sprays of holly may be scattered at intervals over the blouse. Use mercerized cotton No. 25.

Directions for transferring.—In taking off this pattern, lay a piece of impression paper upon the material, place the newspaper pattern over this, and, with a hard, sharp pencil, draw firmly over each line. If the material is sheer it may be laid over the pattern and drawn off with pencil, as the design will show through.

## ONE CENT A BAG

French fried potatoes are sold in northern France just as pop corn and peanuts are sold here, says the Minneapolis Tribune. In order that they may be fresh and hot, the peddler fries them as he travels. On his pushcart he has a coke brazier, over which is placed an iron kettle holding the fat. Long, narrow, four-sided pieces of raw potatoes are put into the boiling fat and thoroughly cooked. They are then put into small paper cornucopias and sold for one or two cents. They sometimes serve an important part of lunches, especially at fairs and celebrations of different sorts.

## DID YOU EVER TRY PEANUT HASH?

Several good nut dishes described

SINCE nuts are relished by most persons, are nutritious and may be readily used by themselves, and in various palatable combinations as an integral part of the diet, they have a legitimate place on the bill of fare.

In concocting peanut dishes very effective combinations can be made with other nuts, with popcorn or puffed rice. Mashed turnips or carrots can be made more tasty by stirring in a cupful of peanuts that have been through a meat grinder. Here are a number of peanut recipes that have been found highly satisfactory, says Good Housekeeping.

Peanut Hash.—Cream one tablespoonful of peanut butter with enough cold water to make a smooth paste, add three-quarters of a cupful of ground peanuts, and two cupfuls of finely chopped cooked potatoes. Mix well, then add one-half a teaspoonful of salt and one-quarter teaspoonful of pepper, with sufficient milk or water to moisten. Melt one tablespoonful of butter in a hot frying pan, simmer in it a teaspoonful of finely minced onion for two minutes; add the potatoes and nuts and cook, with moderate heat, until a brown crust has formed over the bottom, as in making corned beef hash. Turn out upon a platter and serve.

Peanut Rolls.—Mix and sift together two cupfuls of white flour, two cupfuls of Graham or entire wheat flour, eight teaspoonfuls of baking powder, and one and a half teaspoonfuls of salt. Dissolve half a cupful of peanut butter in one and a half cupfuls of cold water and stir into the dry ingredients. Add one cupful of chopped peanuts and roll three-fourths of an inch thick. Cut out and

bake for fifteen or twenty minutes in a hot oven.

Macaroni and Peanuts.—Cook one cupful of macaroni, broken into one inch pieces, in boiling salted water until tender; drain and pour cold water through it to separate the pieces. Then add cream sauce made with four tablespoonfuls each of butter and flour, one teaspoonful of salt, one-fourth teaspoonful of pepper and two cupfuls of milk, and two cupfuls of chopped peanuts. Pour into a buttered baking dish, cover with buttered crumbs and bake until golden brown in color.

Dates and Peanut Pudding.—Dates and peanuts make an exceptionally good combination. Beat two eggs well, add one cupful of granulated sugar, one cupful of peanuts finely chopped, one-third of a cupful of flour sifted with one teaspoonful of baking powder and one-eighth teaspoonful of salt. Turn into a large layer cake pan, buttered, and bake in a moderate oven about one hour. When cool turn out upon a flat serving dish, sprinkle with two tablespoonfuls of lemon juice and cover with whipped cream.

## LIKE DARNING

If you wish to embroider silk stockings, try the following plan instead of using an embroidery hoop. Place your darning ball inside the stocking and hold it as though you were going to darn, save that you should be very careful not to stretch the stocking; simply hold it smooth over the darning where you are to do the embroidery.—Needlecraft.

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## APPLE STUFFED FOR ROAST PORK

Add a bay leaf, one teaspoonful of minced onion, half a teaspoonful of salt, and a little cayenne pepper to 2 1/2 cupfuls of white stock; simmer for 20 minutes and strain. Pare and core 10 tart apples. Place in the bottom of an agate pan; pour the strained stock over them and simmer until they can be pierced with a fork; carefully remove them from the stock and set aside to cool. Blanch two cupfuls of chestnut meats, slice, cover with the stock, add four teaspoonfuls of currant jelly and simmer until tender. If the meats are too moist, drain. Fill the center of the apples with the chestnut mixture and serve with roast pork. This recipe will serve a dozen persons.

## GERMAN FRUIT SNAPS

Cream one cupful of butter and add two cupfuls of sugar gradually; stir into this mixture, without separating, three eggs, one teaspoonful of soda dissolved in half a cupful of warm water, one pound of chopped seeded raisins, and one cupful of chopped English walnuts. Add sufficient flour to make a soft dough, roll out, cut in rounds, and bake at once.

## LEMON PIE WITHOUT PASTRY

Butter a pie plate generously and cover with a three eighths of an inch deep layer of rolled and sifted unsweetened cracker crumbs, patting them down to form a smooth layer adhering to the plate. Fill with the following mixture and bake in a moderate oven until firm and delicately brown. Filling: Heat one fourth of a cupful of lemon juice, add the grated rind of one lemon, and one teaspoonful of cornstarch mixed with one cupful of sugar. Boil one minute, then add the well-beaten yolks of three eggs and cook in a double boiler, like soft custard, until it thickens. Cool slightly, fold in the stiffly beaten whites of the eggs, and use for pies or tarts, baking in a moderate oven until firm.—Good Housekeeping.

## GARMENTS IN TURN

A useful thing to remember in putting clean clothes away is to place the freshly laundered pieces at the bottom of their respective piles, says the Hartford Courant. Then, by using the topmost, you always take the garments in rotation, and each garment thus has less frequent wear, and its life lengthened.

## POST CARD SACHET

Take two pictures of the same size, post cards for example, and punch holes all the way about the edges, says Country Life in Canada. Lace the two together with baby ribbon, and put a layer of cotton sprinkled with sachet powder between them.

## USEFUL OUTFIT

A sewing outfit is one of the practical gifts to a girl which is both useful and educational, says the New Haven Journal Courier. Nearly every child finds sewing uninteresting until she has a doll to sew for and sewing utensils all her own.

## BUTTERFLY BOWS

Butterfly bows, instead of flat, square ones, are being used by the milliners. Expensive flowered ribbons in antique designs and with picot edges are used on hats in place of flowers.—Chicago Journal.

## SIDE TRIMMINGS

Odd side trimmings are noticed in some of the prettiest evening gowns, says the Indianapolis News. A band of fur will ornament the shoulder and cross the bust at one side, while the other is simply draped in lace or tulle.

## MILKY TUMBLERS

Tumblers that have contained milk should be rinsed in cold water before being washed in warm, says the Louisville Herald. Putting the milky glass into hot water will have the effect of clouding it permanently.

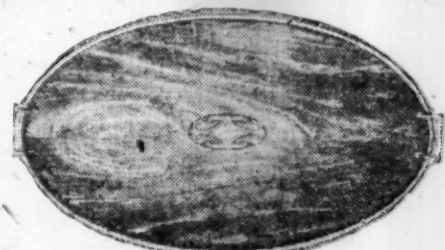
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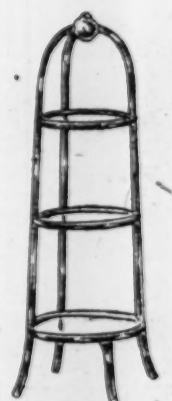
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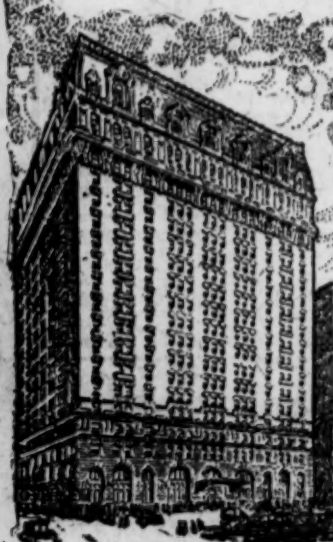
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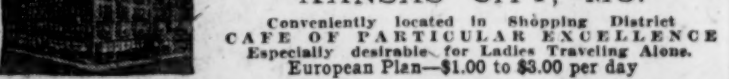
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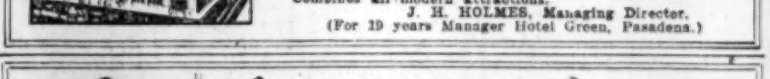
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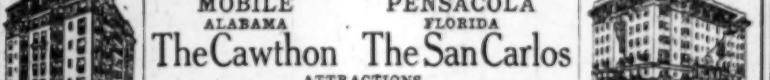
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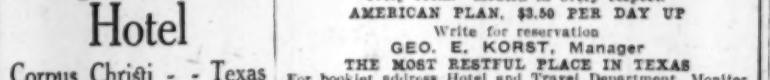
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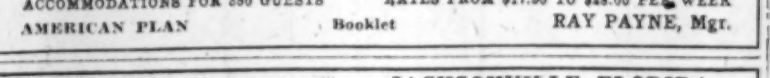
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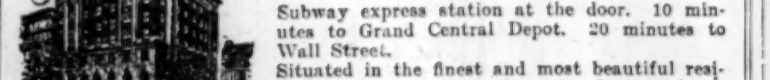
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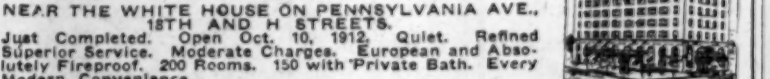
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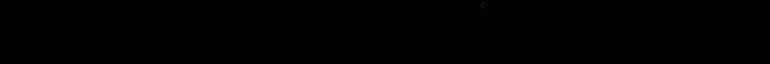
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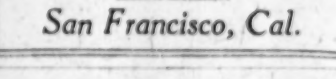
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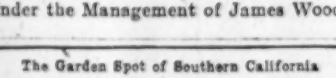
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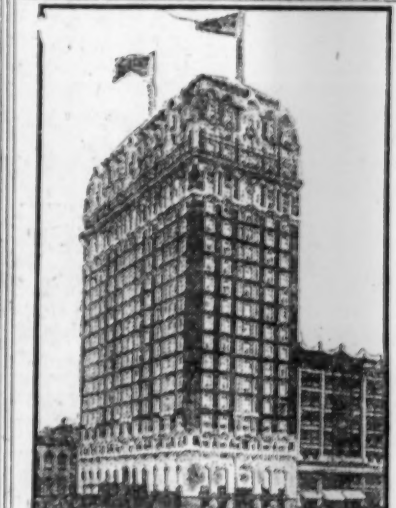
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Modern, comfortable rooms at reasonable  
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Clothes for the man who knows  
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Gummed and ungummed Labels for every  
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BOOKS  
PAUL ELDER'S Book and Art Store—  
"The best beautiful and interesting in  
America." 239 Grant av.

### TAFT SIGNATURE IS ADDED TO \$70,000 BARTH COLLECTION

WASHINGTON—When President  
Taft affixed his signature Tuesday as  
the nine hundred and ninety-fourth  
signer of the autograph collection of  
Louis Barth of Budapest, he added the  
name of another celebrated American to  
a collection which has cost indirectly  
\$70,000.

Mr. Barth journeyed from Europe to  
secure the autographs of President Taft,  
Thomas A. Edison and others. Andrew  
Carnegie was the latest to add his name  
to the collection.  
The signatures and sentiments in Mr.  
Barth's collection are in forty-four lan-  
guages, and include nearly every ruling  
sovereign of Europe and some of Africa  
and Asia. Theodore Roosevelt signed  
the album in Berlin in 1910, and J. Pier-  
pont Morgan affixed his signature in  
Paris last year.

### TEACHERS INTEND TO ASK COMMITTEE FOR MORE FREEDOM

Acting on advice of its attorney, Roger  
Sherman Hoar, the executive committee  
of the School Voters' League yesterday  
afternoon decided to petition to the  
school committee to remove certain re-  
strictions placed upon teachers' right of  
suffrage.

The petition to be presented will be  
signed by citizens of Boston and will  
represent that the teachers' right of suf-  
frage is incomplete without full right to  
make nominations, that they should be  
free to petition the Legislature, and that  
general welfare demands they be given  
free right to express their opinions in  
school affairs to the Legislature.

### BIGGEST WARSHIP TO COST \$11,000,000

WASHINGTON—Secretary of the  
Navy Meyer, in signing Tuesday the con-  
tract plans for the new battleship Pen-  
sylvania, announced that these would be  
placed in the hands of prospective bid-  
ders next Friday; the bids to be opened  
Feb. 18.

With her great displacement of 31,400  
tons, this battleship will be the largest  
and most formidable in any navy, and  
even without her armor and guns will  
cost \$7,425,000. Probably her total cost,  
fully equipped for service, will be be-  
tween \$11,000,000 and \$12,000,000.

**STATE BRIDGE NEARLY DONE**  
MEADVILLE, Pa.—The first public  
bridge ever built by the state in Craw-  
ford county is nearing completion at  
Springboro, where it will span a stream  
with a roadway of about 22 feet.

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**NEW ENGLAND**



**Hotel Somerset**  
Commonwealth Av. and Charlesgate East, Boston, Mass.  
LARGEST, FINEST and BEST  
Ventilated Ball Room in New England. Fully  
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Events; also smaller ball room similarly equipped  
FRANK C. HALL, Mgr.

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H. H. BARNES, Proprietor

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COPLEY SQUARE - BOSTON  
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**Copley Square Hotel**  
Huntington Avenue, Freter and Blag-  
den Streets, BOSTON.  
Containing 350 rooms—200 with  
private baths.  
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**Hotel Nottingham**  
COPLEY SQUARE, BOSTON  
Special Christmas Dinner  
\$1.50 per plate  
Music 6 to 9 P. M.

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BEACON HILL, OPPOSITE STATE HOUSE  
Boston's best family hotel; strictly tem-  
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Send for booklet. Storor F. Crafts, Gen. Mgr.

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BOSTON  
One block from Back Bay Station;  
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residential districts.

**Boston's newest hotel.**  
Under same management  
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Prices for rooms and restaurant  
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Single Rooms with Bath, \$2.50 to \$3.00.  
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Special prices quoted for prolonged stay.  
FRED STERRY, J. C. LAVIN,  
Managing Director

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Nearest hotel to Back Bay Station. S. &  
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A comfortable hotel with large rooms and  
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Near Paris  
French protestant family takes pension-  
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Newly fitted up with all modern improve-  
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Music.  
H. C. DEMETER, Prop.

**WHEN IN SEATTLE**  
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## BOSTON AND N. E.

### HELP WANTED—MALE

**BLACKSMITH WANTED**—Young man, drive or toe and heel shoes; steady work year around; apply by letter only. GEO. W. HYDE, 66 Webster st., Rockland, Mass. 10

**BOOKKEEPER** wanted in mfg. establishment 15 miles from Boston; give full details of experience, personal and business references, and salary expected. PLIMPTON PRESS, Norwood, Mass. 21

**BUSHELMAN** wanted in Ayer; \$12.15 STATE FREE EMP. OFFICE (service free to all), 8 Kneeland st., Boston, Tel. OX. 2960. 20

**ELECTRICAL** and mechanical engineer who has had shop experience and who can plan, erect and run a modern power plant with gas producer; salary small at the start but increased according to efficiency. Address letter VISCOL CO., 200 First st., East Cambridge, Mass. 20

**ENGINEER** (2nd class) wanted; work at Spectacle Island; \$417.50 week. STATE FREE EMP. OFFICE (service free to all), 8 Kneeland st., Boston, Tel. OX. 2960. 20

**ENGINEER** wanted to run engine and dynamo; must be experienced in electrical wiring and pipe fitting; salary \$200. Address NEW YORK MATTESS CO., 27 Beverly st., Boston. 20

**FIREMAN** (first class) wanted in Lynn; 22 hour, \$10. STATE FREE EMP. OFFICE (service free to all), 8 Kneeland st., Boston, Tel. OX. 2960. 20

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**FIREMAN** (1st class) wanted in Boston; \$17.50 a hr. 7 days. STATE FREE EMP. OFFICE (service free to all), 8 Kneeland st., Boston, Tel. OX. 2960. 20

**FIREMAN** (1st class) wanted in city; 9 hours, 7 days, \$17.50 a hr. STATE FREE EMP. OFFICE (service free to all), 8 Kneeland st., Boston, Tel. OX. 2960. 20

**HORSESHOEER** wanted; must be a first-class driver, able to toe and heel shoes; good pay and steady work for a reliable man. Apply to E. MALONE, Hamilton, Mass. 20

**TAXICAB** (freeman's license) wanted in Roxbury; lead horse and driver; \$15. STATE FREE EMP. OFFICE (service free to all), 8 Kneeland st., Boston, Tel. OX. 2960. 20

**JOB COMPOSITOR** wanted in Watertown; \$10. STATE FREE EMP. OFFICE (service free to all), 8 Kneeland st., Boston, Tel. OX. 2960. 20

**LAST TURNERS WANTED**—Two first-class turners on ladies' work. Apply THE LYNN LAST COMPANY, 23 Harrison st., Lynn, Mass. 20

**MACHINIST** wanted in Lynn; 25-27 hour, STATE FREE EMP. OFFICE (service free to all), 8 Kneeland st., Boston, Tel. OX. 2960. 20

**MACHINISTS** wanted in Pittsfield; 36-hour, STATE FREE EMP. OFFICE (service free to all), 8 Kneeland st., Boston, Tel. OX. 2960. 20

**OFFICE MAN**, acquainted with leather and shoemaking, wanted in advertising department of a firm manufacturing specialties for these trades; must be well educated and capable of writing copy on the typewriter. VISCOL CO., 200 First st., East Cambridge, Mass. 20

**PATTERN MAKER** wanted in city (mfg.); 40-42 hour; experienced on plating valves. STATE FREE EMP. OFFICE (service free to all), 8 Kneeland st., Boston, Tel. OX. 2960. 20

**PATTERN MAKER** (wood) wanted in Worcester; 40-hour, STATE FREE EMP. OFFICE (service free to all), 8 Kneeland st., Boston, Tel. OX. 2960. 20

**PATTERN MAKERS** wanted in N. H.; must be at STATE FREE EMP. OFFICE (service free to all), 8 Kneeland st., Boston, Tel. OX. 2960. 20

**PLUMBER** (licensed) wanted in Jamaica Plain; STATE FREE EMP. OFFICE (service free to all), 8 Kneeland st., Boston, Tel. OX. 2960. 20

**PIESSEER WANTED**—Steady year-round position to a first-class fisher and shucker; cleaned and dyed garments; only one who has worked in the best places on the coast will apply. BOSTON DYE HOUSE, Inc., Main st., Cor. Eastern av., Malden, Mass. 18

**REPAIRING** on sewing machines, \$12.50 a week. STATE FREE EMP. OFFICE (service free to all), 8 Kneeland st., Boston, Tel. OX. 2960. 20

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**BOOKKEEPER** and stenographer, experienced; wanted. Apply by letter to LOEBSCH, ANDERSON CO., 475 Broadway, New York. 20

**CHAMBERMAID** and waitress wanted. Apply Mrs. F. E. DREW, 30 St. James av., Boston. 20

**DEMONSTRATORS**, vacuum cleaners in city. Call STATE FREE EMP. OFFICE (service free to all), 8 Kneeland st., Boston, Tel. OX. 2960. 20

**EXPERIENCED MANICURE** wanted at 102 Church st. BOVE'S BARBER SHOP, New Bedford. 20

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## BOSTON AND N. E.

### SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE

**A. R. CHEP AND LAUNDRY MAN**, in New Bedford; \$15-20; will go anywhere in Massachusetts; 34 married; good references; mention \$10. STATE FREE EMP. OFFICE (service free to all), 8 Kneeland st., Boston, Tel. OX. 2960. 20

**ASST. SHIPPER** and salesman, age 22, single, residence Boston; \$12.15 a week; experience, 2 years with one house, 2 with another. Mention \$21. STATE FREE EMP. OFFICE (service free to all), 8 Kneeland st., Boston, Tel. OX. 2960. 20

**ASST. SHIPPER**, packer and clerk, in city; will accept reasonable wages; excellent writer. Mention \$25. STATE FREE EMP. OFFICE (service free to all), 8 Kneeland st., Boston, Tel. OX. 2960. 20

**AUTOMOBILE** repair man desires a position; will go anywhere. JOHN BROWN, 632 Dudley st., Boston, Mass. 20

**AUTOMOBILE MAN**, all-round, chauffeur, mechanic, assemblyman, salesman, demonstrator, etc. wants position; has very best of references; American, steady, reliable, willing to go anywhere. Reason for leaving last place, E. LINCOLN, 24 Washington st., Boston, Tel. OX. 2960. 20

**AUTO PAINTER**, enameiler, some lettering; age 27, married, residence Jamaica Plain; \$3 a day; no preference as to location; foreman of machine painting department in last place. Mention \$20. STATE FREE EMP. OFFICE (service free to all), 8 Kneeland st., Boston, Tel. OX. 2960. 20

**BOY** (good), BRITISH HANDMASTER (good), CORNETIST (good), and FRED ZEALY, 120 Austin st., Cambridge, Mass. 20

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CENTRAL STATES

## SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE

**YOUNG MAN** with stenographic and bookkeeping experience, would like position on a large farm; experienced on farm work and habits and reliable; southern states preferred. **GEORGE HILLS**, 3621 Park ave., Chicago. 2

ferred. ALONZO GALE LOCKWOOD  
4 N. Park av., Box 6, Chicago. - 2

**SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE**

**ATTENDANT.** experienced (ladies of  
children) will be open for engagements or  
after Jan. 1; kindly reply only by  
care HELEN WOOD, care Mrs. Swart  
No. 4 Washtenaw av., Chicago. - 2

**EDUCATED WOMAN,** good reader, wants

ADAMS, 4718 Kenwood av., Chicago.

**SITUATION** wanted as lady's maid wanted by first-class hair dresser and manicurist willing to go out of the city. **LILLIAN BERTON**, 3524 Calumet av., Chicago.

**TENOGRAPHER**—Young girl with little experience desires position where there is ample work as typist, as well as stenographic work; ambitious to become fully qualified in her work; will start at \$10.00 per week.  
**MISS BLENDA LIEBERG**, 652 Madison av., Chicago.

**TELEPHONE** with opportunity for advancement.  
**NEVIEVE SANDIDGE**, 2711 Garfield av.  
Kansas City, Mo.

**TELENOGRAPHER** wants situation (Chil-  
o); young lady (18), graduate grammar  
school and business college, one year's expe-  
rience; good reference. **GLADYS M.**  
**ERS**, 5439 Aberdeen st., Chicago, 18

**WANTED**—Position as housekeeper;  
middle-aged woman; neat and capable of  
doing all sorts of housework. **MRS. ELIZA-  
BETH TONKS**, 823 E. 42d st., Chicago, 18

WANTED—Position as traveling companion or private secretary by young lady of refinement and culture, and experience. MISS SARA McKEE, Box 27, Janesville, Wis. 21

WANTED—Housework or plain sewing the day. HANNAH ANDERSON, 2621 Lawrence av., Chicago, Ill. 21

WANTED—Position in office; 4½ years' experience in clerical work. ANNA ENTERFER, 2937 Wallace st., Chicago, Ill. 18

YOUNG COLORED GIRL, refined and intelligent, wants position as companion to young or elderly lady. GLADYS GORHAM, 142 W. 33d st., Chicago. 18

YOUNG LADY would give household services evenings and Sundays in exchange for board and room in good home. Write MISS N. KING, 5828 Kenmore av., Chicago. 21

YOUNG RELIABLE LADY wants stenog-

Public position: has had 4 years' experience  
e. ANNETTA KNIPP, 2723 N. Albany  
Chicago. 24

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## SOUTHERN STATES

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### HELP WANTED—MALE

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**LUMBERS**—Several first-class plumbers  
columns; strictly temperate and industrious

**HELP WANTED—FEMALE**

WAITRESSES—(White) wanted to be in Miami and ready for business. Jan. 1, 1934.

**SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE**  
**AMBITIOUS YOUNG MAN** of ability desires connection with some reputable construction company, with the intention of running the business. **R. SMILEY FITZGERALD**, 1810 Cadiz st., Dallas, Tex. 15  
**POSITION** wanted by young man; can

typewriter; office assistant in insurance office 5 years; would like position away from New Orleans. MAX ANCHARD, 100 St. Anthony st., New Orleans, La. 18

RUNNING LOCOMOTIVE in lumbering company 4 years' experience; best references. ROBERT LEE, 138 S. Reservoir Norfolk, Va. 19

TRAVELING SALESMAN with successful record and wide experience is open for position. J. H. BROWN, 1000 1/2

(1) best references. G. H. PHARR, 18  
 Apt 303, Marshallville, Ga. 19  
 WOMAN, refined, competent, trust-  
 worthy, would like position as housekeeper  
 or assistant in a pleasant home; fond of  
 children. MARY R. McCORD, Davidson  
 C. 24  
 WORKING FOREMAN CARPENTER  
 seeks position in the South; familiar with  
 plans and estimating construction of  
 roads. GEO. H. YOUNG, Box 100,

**SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE**  
REFINED, EDUCATED LADY (37) will  
services as teacher, companion or  
retary for good home in the South or  
st. MARIE M. MOONEY, Aurora, Cal. 19  
**RESPONSIBLE POSITION** wanted as  
English or English-Spanish stenographer,  
37 years, 13 years experience, references  
furnished. Write to Mrs. J. H. Moore, 1000  
N. 1st St., Phoenix, Ariz.

**WANTED**—Position as teacher, nursery  
nerness, companion or private secre-  
ary by young lady of experience; good  
references; willing to travel. Address  
MISS CHARLOTTE MERRELL, 302 Elm  
Hampton, Va. 18

**WESTERN STATES**  
**HELP WANTED—FEMALE**  
DAIRY WORK—Wanted, man and wife to milk and care for 30 cows; or young man, experienced milker, to assist. CLARET DAVIS, P. O. Box 432, Sapulpa, Okla.

**SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE**

**DOUBLE-ENTRY BOOKKEEPER** and  
hard writer, accustomed to manu-  
facturing office, desires situation; office or  
warehouse work; good references. A.  
N. NELSON, 2841 Curtis st., Denver  
2.

**FIRST-CLASS HOTEL COOK** desires  
situation in South or West; can do either  
hot or pastry; best of references. S. E.

**MARRIED MAN** (28), foreman smelter or laborers; experienced; will go California, Oregon, Washington or British Columbia; strictly temperate; best references.

**MERRY KEIGHLEY**, P. O. Box 83, Grey Pine, B. I.

**POSITION WANTED**—Young man (25) with education, either shop or clerical; where promotion is a reward for good service; please apply by letter only. **HAN**

ALPH ERHART, Goodall, Va.



# World's Latest News of Finance and Industry

## STOCK PRICES MOVE WITHIN A NARROW RANGE AS RULE TODAY

Reading Fluctuated Quite Widely — Other Changes Mixed and Irregular, With Sagging Tendency

### TRADING WAS LIGHT

After irregular changes in the first dealings of the New York stock market today prices developed a wavering tendency and the lack of demand from outside sources and a moderate pressure to sell stock was sufficient to force declines in many of the speculative favorites. Reading varied considerably and yielded to below 165 in the last hour of trading, and Western Maryland continued its downward trend and finally fell to 45 on what is called by those watching the selling in the stock apparently liquidation by stockholders that have held their certificates about as long as they want to, just as Wabash-Pittsburgh was sold yesterday. Later on Reading recovered to 166½ on buying that was said to be based on the expectation that something favorable would develop at today's meeting of the board of directors that would justify an upward swing in the stock. It was after this upward movement in Reading that the stock sold at the lowest of the day.

Many of the other leading railroads and industrials were largely neglected and trading was dead. Amalgamated went above 73 at one time but dropped back a large fraction. The oil stocks continued weak, Mexican Petroleum selling below 70 and California Petroleum below 50, a new low level. U. S. Rubber commonly went up to 67 again and subsequently sold at 65½, with a rally later. The market was very dull and prices were heavier toward the close.

There was little feature to the Boston market and although prices generally sagged in the usually active coppers the declines were more from a lack of disposition on the part of traders to buy than actual selling of stock. Shattuck-Arizona went off to 28 despite the dividend announcement, and Calumet & Arizona grew heavier than the average, selling at 67½ in the afternoon. Pond Creek sold below 26 at one time and Butte & Superior at 38. Shannon sold at 13½, but shaded that price later.

In the late trading the tendency of prices to sag was more pronounced.

LONDON—Dealings on the stock exchange here today were materially reduced, and price movements turned narrowly at the end pending action upon the minimum rate of discount of the Bank of England. The German demand for gold persisted.

Domestic issues appeared flabby, but there was no particular pressure. Good earnings helped home rails.

New York was responsible for a harder condition of American railway shares and Canadian Pacific on the curb. Foreigners and mines left off steady. De Beers up 1-16 at 201-16.

The Paris bourse was irregular, and Berlin was firm.

## THREE MEN GET MEDALS OF HONOR

WASHINGTON—Three medals of honor for heroism were awarded Tuesday by Secretary MacVeagh of the treasury department.

A gold medal was presented to Joseph Donnell of New York for his daring in rescuing John P. Lamb and Terence Kelly from New York bay on Nov. 8, 1911. Silver medals were awarded to Capt. Henry Lakestream and Fireman Herbert E. Whitcomb of engine company 86, New York, for gallantry in saving J. R. Chadwick of Wilmington, N. C., from the North river Sept. 20, last.

## LONDON COPPER CLOSING

LONDON—C. M. B. copper closed 10s. 6d. 7½. Spot 274 7½. 6d. of 5s; futures 275 10s. off 3-8d. Sales, spot 600, futures 1300 tons.

## THE WEATHER

UNITED STATES WEATHER BUREAU PREDICTIONS FOR BOSTON AND VICINITY: Rain tonight; Thursday, probably rain with falling tendency; moderate east to south winds.

WASHINGTON—The U. S. weather bureau predicts weather today as follows for New England: Rain tonight and probably Thursday; somewhat colder Thursday; moderate east to south winds.

The western disturbance now forms an area of low pressure extending from Michigan southward to Alabama. It is causing cloudy and unsettled weather with rain or snow and moderate temperatures in nearly all districts east of the Mississippi river. Zero temperatures were reported this morning from the British northwest.

## TEMPERATURE TODAY

S. a. m. .... 43.12 noon .... 42  
Average temperature yesterday, 42-19-24.

## IN OTHER CITIES

(Maximum)  
New York ..... 40  
Washington ..... 32  
San Francisco ..... 50  
Buffalo ..... 46  
Philadelphia ..... 42  
Kansas City ..... 40  
Jacksonville ..... 26  
San Francisco ..... 50

ALMANAC FOR TODAY  
Sun rises ..... 7:00 High water, 5:00  
Sun sets ..... 4:14 6:00 a.m., 6:25 p.m.  
Length of day, 9:55

## NEW YORK STOCKS

NEW YORK—The following are the transactions on the New York Stock Exchange, giving the opening, high, low and last sales to 2:30 p. m.:

Stock	Open	High	Low	Last
Allis-Chalmers 2 pd.	114	114	114	114
Amalgamated	72 1/2	73 1/2	72 1/2	72 1/2
Am. Ag. Chem. pf.	99 1/2	99 1/2	99 1/2	99 1/2
Am. B. & F. Co. pf.	136	136	136	136
Am. B. & F. Co. pf.	50	50	50	50
Am. Can.	28 1/2	28 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Am. Can. pf.	113 1/2	114	113 1/2	114
Am. Car. Pdr.	53 1/2	53 1/2	53	53
Am. Citic.	49	49	48	48
Am. Cities pf.	82	82	82	82
Am. H. & L.	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2
Am. H. & L. pf.	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
Am. Ice	19 1/2	19 1/2	19	19
Am. Lined Oil	11	11	11	11
Am. Loco	40 1/2	41	40 1/2	41
Am. Melting	68 1/2	69 1/2	68 1/2	68 1/2
Am. Mfg. Ind.	35	35	35	35
Am. Sugar	116 1/2	116 1/2	116 1/2	116 1/2
Am. T. & T.	140	140	140	140
Am. T. & T. pf.	140	140	140	140
Am. T. & T. pf.	38	38	38	38
Assets Realty Co.	123	123	123	123
Atchafalaya	105 1/2	105 1/2	105 1/2	105 1/2
At Coast Line	138	138	137 1/2	138
At. & N. O.	50	50	50	50
B. & O.	103 1/2	103 1/2	103 1/2	103 1/2
B. & O. pf.	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2
B. R. T.	87 1/2	87 1/2	87 1/2	87 1/2
Cal. Petroleum	51 1/2	51 1/2	49 1/2	50 1/2
Cal. Pacific	255 1/2	256 1/2	255	256 1/2
Cent. of N. J.	360	360	360	360
Ches. & Ohio	78	78 1/2	77 1/2	78 1/2
Ch. M. & St. P.	111 1/2	111 1/2	111 1/2	111 1/2
Ch. M. & St. P. pf.	140	140	140	140
Chi. & N. W.	136 1/2	136 1/2	136	136
Chino	41 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2
Col. Fuel	33	33	33	33
Col. Gas	138 1/2	138 1/2	138 1/2	138 1/2
Corn Prod.	13 1/2	13 1/2	13 1/2	13 1/2
Del. & Hudson	162	162 1/2	162	162 1/2
Del. & Hudson pf.	597	597	597	597
Del. & Hudson pf.	31 1/2	31 1/2	30 1/2	31
Del. & Hudson pf.	39 1/2	39 1/2	39 1/2	39 1/2
Gen. Electric	181	181 1/2	181	181 1/2
Gen. Motor	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2
Gen. Motor pf.	76 1/2	76 1/2	76 1/2	76 1/2
Goodrich Co.	64	64	64	64
Goldfield	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2
Gr. Northern	134 1/2	134 1/2	133 1/2	133 1/2
Harvester	109	109	109	109
Hill Central	110	110	110	110
Hill Central pf.	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2
Int. Paper	12	12	12	12
Int. Paper pf.	48	48	48	48
Int. Paper pf.	26	26	26	26
Lake E. & W. M.	35	35	35	35
Lehigh Valley	169 1/2	169 1/2	168 1/2	168 1/2
L. & N.	139 1/2	139 1/2	139 1/2	139 1/2
M. & N. C.	82	82	82	82
May Co.	77 1/2	77 1/2	77 1/2	77 1/2
Met. Petroleum	73	73	69 1/2	70
Met. Pet. pf.	99	99	99	99
Met. Pet. pf.	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
Mt. P. & St. M.	138 1/2	138 1/2	138 1/2	138 1/2
Mo. Pacific	41 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2
N. Y. Central	108 1/2	108 1/2	108 1/2	108 1/2
Nat. Biscuit	120	120	120	120
Nevada Con.	19 1/2	19 1/2	19	19
N. Y. H. & H.	129	129 1/2	129	129 1/2
N. Y. H. & H. pf.	112 1/2	112 1/2	112 1/2	112 1/2
Norfolk & Western	123	123	113 1/2	113 1/2
Norfolk & Western pf.	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2
Pacific Mail	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2
Pennsylvania	121 1/2	121 1/2	120 1/2	121 1/2
Peoples Gas	111	111	111	111
Pittsburgh	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2
Pitt. Serv. Corp.	117	118	118	118
Pitt. Serv. Corp. pf.	34	34	34	34
Reading	20 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2
Reading 1st pf.	90 1/2	90 1/2	90 1/2	90 1/2
Reading 2nd pf.	85	85	84 1/2	85
Rock Island	23	23	23	23
Rock Island pf.	43 1/2	43 1/2	43	43
S. C. Ry. & P.	203 1/2	203 1/2	203 1/2	203 1/2
Southern Ry.	106 1/2	106 1/2	106 1/2	106 1/2
Southern Ry. pf.	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
St. Louis Ry.	80	80	80	80
St. Louis Ry. pf.	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2
St. Louis Ry. pf.	73 1/2	73 1/2	73 1/2	73 1/2
St. Louis Ry. pf.	63 1/2	63 1/2	63 1/2	63 1/2
St. Louis Ry. pf.	55	55 1/2	55	55 1/2
St. Louis Ry. pf.	67	67	67	67
St. Louis Ry. pf.	73	73	72 1/2	72 1/2
St. Louis Ry. pf.	66 1/2	66 1/2	65 1/2	65 1/2
St. Louis Ry. pf.	107 1/2	107 1/2	107 1/2	107 1/2
St. Louis Ry. pf.	79 1/2	79 1/2	79 1/2	79 1/2
St. Louis Ry. pf.	65 1/2	65 1/2	65 1/2	65 1/2
St. Louis Ry. pf.	44	44	43	43
St. Louis Ry. pf.	52 1/2	52 1/2	52 1/2	52 1/2
St. Louis Ry. pf.	77	77	77	77
St. Louis Ry. pf.	47	47	45	45
St. Louis Ry. pf.	68	68 1/2	68 1/2	68 1/2
St. Louis Ry. pf.	73 1/2	73 1/2	73 1/2	73 1/2
St. Louis Ry. pf.	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2
St. Louis Ry. pf.	49	49	49	49
St. Louis Ry. pf.	106 1/2	106 1/2	105 1/2	105 1/2

\*Ex-dividend.

## FREE SOIL TESTS TO AID FARMERS

JACKSON, Tenn.—Terry W. Allen, banker and farmer, has decided to establish a chemical laboratory at his country home, "Hickory Hall," four miles northwest of Jackson.

Mr. Allen proposes to employ an expert chemist who will not only test the soils on the Allen farm and show what is needed to make them produce the best results, but he will test free the soils of other cultivators of Madison county.

## SECURITIES AT AUCTION

Features of R. L. Day & Co.'s auctions were: 15 Suncoast Mills, 20 off 49½ (previous sale Nov. 23, 1910); 3 Newmarket Manufacturing, 95, off 44½; 10 Lockwood Company, 103½, off 7½; 10 Waltham Watch preferred, 103, off 4½; 21 Waltham Watch common, 30 (ex-div.) up 3½.

Features of Francis Henshaw & Co.'s auctions were: 19 National Shawmut Bank, 240½, off 242; 40½; 21 Naumkeag Steam Cotton, 54, up 4; 1 Boston Atheneum 320, off 1/2.

## PHILADELPHIA STOCKS

PHILADELPHIA—American Ry. 40, Cambria Steel 48½, Electric St. 53½, Gen. Asphalt pf. 71½, Lehigh Nat. Tr. 92, Lehigh Val. 84½-16, Pennsylvania Steel pf. 94, Philadelphia Co. 49½, Philadelphia Co. pf. 44½, Philadelphia Elec. 23½, Philadelphia Rap. Tr. 27, Philadelphia Tract 81½, Union Tract 50½, United Gas Imp. 89½.

## ADVANCE IN RIVET PRICES

NEW YORK—The price of structural and boiler rivets has been advanced \$2 a ton, making structural rivets \$2.20 and boiler rivets \$2.30 per 100 pounds.

## COMMITTEE OF STOCK EXCHANGE MAKES ITS REPORT ON FRANKLIN

The committee of Boston stock exchange members has submitted the following report to the stockholders of the Franklin Mining Company. The report is signed by Herbert M. Leland, Harry M. Stonemetz, Herbert L. Foster, Irving J. Sturgis and Joseph B. Crocker, and is as follows:

"Suit has been brought to compel the Franklin Mining Company to sue the directors of the company to recover from them the money lost through its former president. The directors have called this meeting to discover whether the majority of the stockholders will instruct the company to take this action.

"The directors have made the proxies run to Messrs. Leland and Stonemetz, who are not and have never been connected with the company or its directors. The directors requested the members of the so-called 'stock brokers' committee' to make an examination of the entire matter. A complete audit and examination has been made by Messrs. Amos D. Albee & Son, certified public accountants.

"The directors and officers, with the exception of the former president, have submitted themselves to a most rigorous examination. We have examined Bruce Ware, who made the audit of the books for the last annual meeting. We have had access to any legal advice we cared to engage and we have covered every phase of the situation. We find—

"First—That every possible opportunity to get at the facts has been afforded us.

"Second—That Mr. Edwards was the Michigan director required by the laws of that state, excellently fulfilling his position; and that neither morally nor legally could he be held in any way responsible for the situation in Boston. We also find that the operations of the former president were possible only through the cooperation, amounting possibly to the collusion, on the part of the former treasurer, Mr. Bailey.

"Third—That in our opinion there is grave question as to whether the other directors of the old board did use the ordinary business care and supervision of the company's financial affairs.

"Fourth—That we have been unable to get any satisfactory legal opinion as to the probable success of litigation against the directors.

"Fifth—That litigation against the directors as a whole would result in the loss of the services of President Edwards to the company and we think this is a vital matter. It might also cause the loss of the new directors placed upon the board October 11th. Either or both of these contingencies might throw the affairs of the company into chaotic condition.

"We therefore advise: That the stockholders of the Franklin Mining Company shall request the immediate resignation of the directors except Messrs. Edwards, Rice and Jennings, and that these three latter directors select new men to fill the vacancies.

"We further advise: That the reorganized board be instructed to make an extended and diligent effort to obtain reconstitution of the company's funds, either with or without litigation, as after due consideration they may decide.

"The committee beg to state that they acted for the best interests of all the stockholders and have endeavored to discharge their duties to the best of their knowledge and belief."

## BOND PARAGRAPHS

Merced county, N. J., will receive bids until 2:30 p. m., Dec. 20, for the purchase of \$207,000 20-year 4½ per cent coupon funding bonds.

The Farmers Irrigation District, Scotts Bluff county, Neb., will offer \$2,703,000 6 per cent tax-free bonds on Dec. 23.

Proposals will be received by Jefferson county, Ala., until Dec. 31 for \$100,000 4½ per cent 50-year hospital bonds, which were offered without success on Sept. 7.

Kansas City, Mo., has changed the date of the election to vote on the proposition to issue \$2,500,000 20-year bonds, from Dec. 17 to Jan. 7.

Oklahoma will receive proposals until Jan. 15 for \$3,000,000 4 per cent refunding bonds, dated Jan. 15, 1913, and due \$300,000 annually for 10 years.

Only \$175,000 Pawtucket (R. I.) 4½ per cent bonds were sold of the \$350,000, bids for which were opened. This was the water works issue, and was awarded to Hayden, Stone & Co. at 100.41. All other bids were rejected.

Directors of Southern Railway Company have approved plan for paying off half of its \$10,000,000 5 per cent notes maturing Feb. 1 and extending half by sale of a new issue of \$5,000,000 three-year 5 per cent notes. The road had \$13,050,000 cash on hand Jan. 30, which will easily provide for payment of half of the maturing notes.

## UNITED SHOE DIVIDENDS

The directors of the United Shoe Machinery Company have declared the regular quarterly dividend of 1½ per cent (37½¢) on the preferred stock and the regular quarterly dividend of 2 per cent (50¢) on the common stock, both payable Jan. 4 to stock of record Dec. 21.

## ST. PAUL, MINN.—DEFENDING THE PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM FROM UNFAVORABLE CRITICISM

ST. PAUL, Minn.—Defending the public school system from unfavorable criticism, Philander P. Claxton, United States commissioner of education, who is before the Minnesota Educational Association, declared the public schools are the highest civilizing factor in the country. Mr. Claxton declared that the school system is the beginning of civic and national progress.

## BOSTON STOCKS

BOSTON—The following are the transactions of the Boston Stock Exchange, giving the opening, high, low and last sales to 2:30 p. m. today:

Stock	Open	High	Low	Last
Adventure	5 1/2	5 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2
Albion	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2
Amalgamated	72 1/2	73 1/2	72 1/2	72 1/2
Am. Ag. Chem. pf.	99 1/2	99 1/2	99 1/2	99 1/2
Am. B. & F. Co. pf.	136	136	136	136
Am. B. & F. Co. pf.	50	50	50	50
Am. Can.	28 1/2	28 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Am. Can. pf.	113 1/2	114	113 1/2	114
Am. Car. Pdr.	53 1/2	53 1/2	53	53
Am. Citic.	49	49	48	48
Am. Cities pf.	82	82	82	82
Am. H. & L.	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2
Am. H. & L. pf.	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
Am. Ice	19 1/2	19 1/2	19	19
Am. Lined Oil	11	11	11	11
Am. Loco	40 1/2	41	40 1/2	41
Am. Melting	68 1/2	69 1/2	68 1/2	68 1/2
Am. Mfg. Ind.	35	35	35	35
Am. Sugar	116 1/2	116 1/2	116 1/2	116 1/2



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## HOW BONDS HAVE WEATHERED A DECLINE IN STOCK MARKET

Prices Have Gone off for Practically Every Class, but the Losses Have Been Comparatively Small—Fundamentals and the Future

NEW YORK—Following the fall in the stock market prices during the past fortnight or so there has occurred a decline in the prices of bonds. Not only have the speculative issues been carried downward to a considerable extent but the high-grade issues have also moved off. Such a thing as this was unavoidable, in the nature of the liquidation that was forced after the first severe break in stocks at the opening of last week. Almost always in a stock market decline which has carried prices downward from 10 to 20 points the bond market has shown a receding price, more or less important as the stock market decline represented mere speculative operations or forced liquidation. In the past fortnight the character of the market is said to have disclosed an undoubtedly large amount of selling of "real" stock. This selling has been supplemented by selling of bonds, for whenever liquidation is forced in the stock market it generally finds reflection in bonds.

At the same time, one of the notable features of the situation has been the smallness of the declines which occurred in bonds, in face of the heavy losses in the stock market. A point and two points have been deducted from prices of the leading bonds; industrial issues have gone off more than that. The reason for the relative smallness of the decline, it would seem, lies in the fact that before the depression in the stock market had become acute the level of the bond values had already been reduced. A chart of average bond values drawn to represent fluctuations for the present year would show an almost regular slant downward since the opening of the year 1912. Beginning with February, when bond values for the most part, were at the year's highest level, there have been only two halts to the downward drift; one of these was in the early summer, the other was in October. Even such periods as April and July, when quarterly and semi-annual disbursements were made to the country's holders of corporate bonds and shares, showed a negligible effect from such reinvestment buying as was then experienced.

Bond buyers have been out of the market for so long and have been attracted to so many fields where there can be had a large return on their funds, that it is now practically impossible for a railroad with even the highest security to finance itself for a long period of time at a rate in any way conformative with its credit. Of course, just at present the condition of the money market compels recourse to short notes for any borrower in immediate need, but regardless of the immediate stringency, there is a decidedly unsatisfactory state of affairs. Issues of bonds that are being advertised by the bond houses are being marketed on a basis ranging anywhere from 4 1/2 to 6 per cent, some reasonably safe securities are being offered to yield 5 per cent and better. What the effect of the declining tendency of the year has been can be judged from the following table, which shows for a number of the best known bond issues, listed on the New York stock exchange approximately current prices, compared with the highest prices of the year. It will be seen at a glance that even the most gilt-edged bonds have diminished in value; such a bond as represented in Chicago & North-western 4s has declined no less than 3 1/2 points, and the Pennsylvania 4 1/2 bond has gone off 1 1/2. None of the bonds in the following list has declined less than 1 1/2 points; some have gone off as much as 5, 7 and even 9 points:

Cur. Price	Yr. High	Decline
Atchafalpa 5s 1905	96 1/2	1 1/2
Atlantic Coast Line 4s 1902	95 1/2	1 1/2
Balt & Ohio 4s 1908	97	2 1/2
Brook Rap Trans 3s 1905	103	1 1/2
Cent & Atl 5s 1905	108	1 1/2
Ches & Ohio 4 1/2s 1902	102	2 1/2
Ch. Burl & Q. 4s 1908	94 1/2	3 1/2
C. R. & Q. 4s 1902	95 1/2	3 1/2
C. M. & St. Paul 4s 1902	95 1/2	3 1/2
Chic. & N. W. 4s 1902	95 1/2	3 1/2
Chic. R. I. & P. 4s 1902	95 1/2	3 1/2
Colo. & So. 4s 1902	95 1/2	3 1/2
Den. & R. G. 4s 1902	95 1/2	3 1/2
Eric. 4s 1902	95 1/2	3 1/2
Ill. Central 4s 1902	95 1/2	3 1/2
K. C. South 4s 1902	95 1/2	3 1/2
Lake Shore 3 1/2s 1902	95 1/2	3 1/2
Louis & Nash 4s 1902	95 1/2	3 1/2
Mo. Kan. & Tex. 4s 1902	95 1/2	3 1/2
N. Y. Central 3 1/2s 1902	95 1/2	3 1/2
Norfolk & West 4s 1902	95 1/2	3 1/2
Northern Pacific 4s 1902	95 1/2	3 1/2
Penn. 4s 1902	95 1/2	3 1/2
Reading 4s 1902	95 1/2	3 1/2
St. L. & S. P. 4s 1902	95 1/2	3 1/2
South Pacific 4s 1902	95 1/2	3 1/2
Union Pacific 4s 1902	95 1/2	3 1/2

Taken on an average, it can be said that the entire list of bonds of the stock exchange list is down more than 2 points from the high level of the year, and possibly 2 1/2 or 3 points from this time in 1911. The losses of speculative issues have been sufficiently large to affect the average list in such a way as to offset the influence of the declines of gilt-edged securities. Nevertheless, the fact that the best grade of bonds should be as much as 1 and 1 1/2 points below the early part of the present year is itself serious enough to warrant consideration. In the unsettled state of Wall street sentiment at the present time the influence of fundamentals is to a large extent disregarded, but it is the fundamentals that must be considered if the outlook of the bond market is to be viewed.

Fundamental conditions have not favored expanding bond activity, and do not do so now, but with a view to broad considerations it can be said that at the present time conditions are more favorable than at any time in the past five years. Capital has not found its way into speculative ventures, and has not gone into new industry to any phenom-

enal extent. Theories, high living costs and greater income demands of capital have been considered time after time, without any conclusion being drawn other than unfavorable to securities for fixed investments. The bond market now, however, has been brought to a position where it is offering capital a reasonable return; the monthly circulars of bond houses show that the tendency is more and more in that direction. It can hardly be said longer that investors and investment institutions will turn eventually to the bond market and resume the buying of bonds until railroads can borrow for a long term of years on a 4 or 4 1/2 per cent basis. Undoubtedly the time is coming when railroads will be able to borrow at better terms than 5 and 5 1/2 per cent rates that the market now demands.

## PLANS FOR MERGER OF A LARGE PORTION OF LONDON'S TRAMWAYS

LONDON—In connection with the amalgamation of a large part of London traction lines under the management of the Underground Electric Railways Company, the Metropolitan electric tramways and the London United tramways will be consolidated in a new company, the London Suburban Traction Company, which will also acquire the shares of the Tramways Omnibus Company, which service will be maintained by the London General Omnibus Company. The new company will have \$2,750,000 in 4 1/2 per cent debenture stock, \$7,000,000 in 5 per cent cumulative preferred shares and \$8,750,000 in ordinary shares. In exchange for Metropolitan Electric Tramways preferred there will be issued 40 per cent in debenture stock and 70 per cent in preferred of the new company. Its ordinary shares will get 100 per cent in new preferred and 100 per cent in new ordinary shares, and its deferred shares 25 per cent in preferred and 25 per cent in ordinary shares. London United Tramways' preferred shares will receive in exchange 50 per cent preferred and 40 per cent ordinary shares of the new company. Its ordinary shares will get 70 per cent in new ordinary shares. This will leave outstanding \$4,000,000 in 4 1/2 per cent and 5 per cent debentures of the Metropolitan Electric Tramways and \$2,249,650 in 4 per cent debentures of the London United Tramways.

Further plans for the amalgamation of the traction lines, subject to the approval of stockholders, provide for a guaranty by the Underground Company of 4 per cent on Central London Railway ordinary and deferred ordinary shares and an agreement that this stock shall share to the extent of 40 per cent in excess of any dividends paid by the Central London above 4 per cent whenever the average annual dividends for the previous three consecutive years is in excess of 4 per cent. The three other security issues will continue to receive their regular interest.

Holders of the \$7,400,000 consolidated ordinary stock of the City & South London Railway will be offered 40 per cent in 4 per cent preference stock and 25 per cent in ordinary shares of the London Electric Railway, it is said. This company's preference stocks are not to be disturbed.

## DIVIDEND ON SHATTUCK

The directors of the Shattuck-Arizona Copper Company have declared a dividend of 50 cents per share, payable Jan. 20 to stock of record on Dec. 31. The company is said to be in a good financial condition, with a comfortable cash balance in the treasury. Shipments, which are now at the rate of 250 tons daily, will be increased to 500 tons, daily after July 1 next, it is expected.

## RAILWAY EARNINGS

CANADIAN PACIFIC		Increase
Second week Dec.	\$2,825,000	\$203,000
From July 1.	\$6,284,847	\$940,040
INTERNATIONAL & G. T. NORTHERN		Increase
Second week Dec.	\$210,000	\$24,000
From July 1.	\$5,820,300	\$713,507
TEXAS & PACIFIC		Increase
Second week Dec.	\$381,065	\$42,310
From Jan 1.	\$10,616,822	1,317,670

\*Decrease.

## N. E. NATIONAL BANK MEETING

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the New England National Bank of Boston for the election of directors and the transaction of any other business that may legally come before them will be held at their banking rooms, 105 Causeway street, Tuesday, Jan. 14, at 11 a. m.

## ESTIMATE OF GENERAL ELECTRIC SALES FOR YEAR UP \$2,000,000

Despite Added Expenses Income Is Expected to Make Surplus for Dividends About \$700,000 Larger

## THE NEW PLANT

Based on the figures submitted to the New York stock exchange by the General Electric Company for the first eight months of its fiscal year, the gross sales billed for the year will be about \$2,000,000 larger than in 1911, an increase which will be more than offset by added expenses, so that the net earnings will probably be \$100,000 less than in 1911. The other income, however, will show such an increase that the surplus for dividends will be about \$700,000 larger than last year, an increase in keeping with the increase in capital stock and making the per cent earned on the stock about the same as for 1911. On this basis there should be an increase in surplus of \$500,000.

The sales billed, profit from sales and the margin of profit for ten years with the current year estimated from the actual results of eight months, have been as follows:

Year end	Sales billed	Profits	Margin
Jan. 31:	\$1,680,842	\$6,781,191	16.25%
1904	39,231,328	5,703,193	14.54
1905	43,146,302	5,121,236	11.87
1906	60,671,882	5,965,289	9.94
1907	70,977,108	5,440,893	7.66
1908	44,540,675	4,802,232	10.78
Dec. 31:			
1909	51,656,832	4,705,872	9.11
1910	71,478,557	5,343,955	11.67
1911	79,285,854	7,923,207	11.26
1912	72,453,752	7,816,910	10.79

The total sales billed for these 10 years lacking one month, with the last four months of 1912 estimated, have been \$565,040,000, and the cost of sales, including depreciation \$503,036,000, leaving profits from sales of \$62,004,000, a margin of 11.07 per cent for the 10 years. The margin of profit for the present year is the same as that of the year ending Jan. 31, 1909. Sales are expected to be the largest in the history of the company, but the cost of sales will not be as large as 1908, when the margin of profit was 7.66 per cent, the smallest probably since the company was organized.

The current year will compare very favorably with those which have preceded it since 1905 and so far as actual results shown by earnings on stock are concerned, the showing will be as good as that year, although there is now more than \$30,000,000 more stock outstanding than there was in 1905. The surplus for dividends, the capital stock outstanding at the end of the year and the percentage earned on the average capital stock outstanding during the year for the last 10 years have been as follows:

Year end	Surf	Capital stock	Earned on stock
Jan. 31:	\$7,780,270	\$43,892,700	17.8%
1904	\$5,719,746	\$8,247,743	11.8%
1905	\$3,191,161	24,286,750	13.1
1906	7,457,843	33,372,800	13.7
1907	6,586,653	65,167,400	10.2
1908	4,802,232	65,178,800	7.4
Dec. 31:			
1909	6,493,671	65,179,900	10.0
1910	10,853,092	65,179,900	16.7
1911	10,532,806	77,235,300	14.0
1912	11,274,057	77,203,200	14.5

\*Estimated from eighth months' figures.

Stockholders of record at the end of the year will receive a stock dividend of 30 per cent on their present holdings, which will call for the distribution of more than \$23,000,000 of the surplus, so that this item will be reduced to less than \$11,000,000, or an amount somewhat around the surplus on July 1, 1905.

When the full amount is outstanding there will be over \$100,000,000 on which to pay dividends.

General Electric now has a debenture debt of \$12,437,500, and it is understood that future financing will be done in that way rather than by the issue of stock with rights. The issue of \$10,000,000 debentures sold this year were nearly all placed abroad where General Electric has a large following which took the bonds eagerly. The proceeds of these bonds are being used for general purposes. The company is building an extensive plant at Erie, Pa., upon which about \$3,000,000 has already been expended, and it will require two years more to complete this plant, which comprises at the present time about 400 acres of land, and which it is planned will eventually be the largest operated by General Electric.

## LACKAWANNA'S NEW FINANCING

NEW YORK—Directors of the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western railroad at their regular meeting Dec. 26 will provide present plans are carried out, provide for the issuance of a certain portion of the \$12,000,000 stock authorized by stockholders at the annual meeting last February. The proposed new issue will probably be \$3,000,000, or 25 per cent of the amount authorized.

The question of stock insurance has been agreed upon by certain interests influential in the company, it is said, and will come before the executive committee Dec. 24 and before the board on Dec. 26. The directors are also expected to declare the regular quarterly dividend of 2 1/2 per cent at the next meeting.

## DIVIDENDS

The Osborn mills have declared a regular quarterly dividend of 1 1/2 per cent, payable Jan. 1, to stockholders of record Dec. 20. This is the usual rate.

The Cornell mills have declared a regular quarterly dividend of 2 per cent, payable Dec. 24, to stockholders of record Dec. 17. This is the usual rate.

The Tecumseh mills have declared a regular quarterly dividend of 1 1/2 per cent, payable Jan. 1, to stockholders of record Dec. 24.

The Standard Fabric Company has declared its second regular quarterly dividend of 1 per cent, payable Jan. 1 to stockholders of record Dec. 24. Its first dividend was 1 per cent.

The General Baking Company has declared a quarterly dividend of 1 per cent, payable Jan. 1, 1913, on the preferred. This is a reduction of 3 1/2 per cent from the last quarterly dividend.

The Title Guarantee & Trust Company has declared a regular quarterly dividend of 5 per cent and an extra of 4 per cent, payable Dec. 31.

The Loose-Wiles Biscuit Company has declared the usual quarterly dividend of 1 1/2 per cent each on its first and second preferred stocks. The first preferred is payable Jan. 2. Books close Dec. 20 and reopen Jan. 2. The second preferred is payable Jan. 1. Books close Jan. 15 and reopen Feb. 3.

The New York Mutual Gas Light Company has declared a dividend of 4 per cent, payable Jan. 10 to holders of record Dec. 27. The previous paid was 5 per cent semi-annual and 14 per cent extra paid July 10 last. The extra dividend at that time was to bring payments for 3 years ending Dec. 31, 1910, to an average of 9 per cent yearly.

The Cincinnati Gas Transportation Company has declared a dividend of 10 per cent for the year, payable quarterly. The last dividend was 7 per cent.

The La Rose Consolidated Mines Company, Ltd., dividend of 2 1/2 per cent and a bonus of 2 1/2 per cent is payable Jan. 20. Books close Dec. 31 and reopen Jan. 18.

The Chicago Railway Equipment Company has declared the regular quarterly dividend of 1 1/2 per cent, payable Dec. 31 to stock of record Dec. 20.

The International Nickel Company has declared a dividend of 2 1/2 per cent on its common stock, payable March 1. Books close February 10 and reopen March 3. This is an increase of one-half of 1 per cent over the rate paid by the company three months ago. The usual quarterly dividend of 1 1/2 per cent on the preferred stock was also declared payable February 1. Books close January 13 and reopen February 3.

The E. W. Bliss Company has declared a regular quarterly dividend of 2 per cent on its preferred stock, payable January 1 to stock of record December 23.

The Mine Hill & Schuylkill Haven Railroad Company has declared a semi-annual dividend of 2 1/2 per cent, a reduction of 1 1/2 per cent from the disbursement on June 17 last. The dividend is payable Jan. 15 to holders of record Dec. 20.

The Kansas City Southern Railway Company has declared the regular quarterly dividend of 1 per cent on its preferred stock, payable Jan. 15 to holders of record Dec. 31.

The Cincinnati, Hamilton Railway Company has declared the regular quarterly dividends of 1 per cent on common and 1 1/4 per cent on the preferred, payable Jan. 2. Books close Dec. 1 and reopen Jan. 2.

The Reading Traction Company has declared the usual semi-annual dividend of 1 1/2 per cent, payable Jan. 1 as registered Dec. 21. Books close Dec. 21 and reopen Jan. 2.

The directors of the Beacon Trust Company of Boston have declared the regular quarterly dividend of 2 per cent, payable Jan. 1 to stock of record Dec. 17.

The Washington Wire Company has declared a quarterly dividend of 1 1/4 per cent on the preferred stock, payable Jan. 1 to stock of record Dec. 20.

The Providence Gas Company has declared a dividend of \$1 a share, payable Jan. 1 to stock of record on Dec. 20. The Garvin Machine Company has declared a regular semi-annual dividend of 3 1/2 per cent on its preferred stock, payable Jan. 1. Books close Dec. 26, reopen Jan. 5.

The Republic Railway & Light Company has declared its usual quarterly dividend of 1 1/4 per cent on its preferred stock, payable Jan. 15 to holders of record on Dec. 31.

The Sharon Steel Hoop Company has declared a regular quarterly dividend of 1 1/4 per cent, payable Jan. 1.

## SHOE BUYERS

(Compiled by The Christian Science Monitor, Dec. 18.) Among the boot and shoe dealers and leather buyers in Boston today are the following:

Charlotte, N. C.—W. R. Foreman of Foreman Shoe Co.; Essex.  
Chicago, Ill.—S. Longmire of Sears, Roebuck & Co.; 290 Summer st.  
Havana, Cuba—J. M. Otero of Fernandez Valdes & Co.; U. S.  
Havana, Cuba—F. E. Pons and F. P. Rogen; Lenox.  
Toledo, C. M. Dederich of Simmons Boot & Shoe Co.; 173 Lincoln st.  
Williamsport, Pa.—C. W. Scott and E. E. Steiger of J. E. Dayton & Co.; Essex.  
LEATHER BUYERS  
Annapolis, Pa.—A. S. Krieger of Krieger Shoe Co.; U. S.  
Leicester, Eng.—John Stynes of Geo. Stuyvesant Sons Co.; 210 Essex st.  
Richmond, Me.—Geo. A. Hawkes of G. A. Hawkes Shoe Co.; 82 Lincoln st.  
Scranton, Pa.—W. J. Braudwens of Scranton Leather Co.; U. S.

## FINAL CROP ARRAYS BY GOVERNMENT ARE SORT OF A SURPRISE

Corn Crop Is Announced as the Largest on Record and That of Wheat the Third Best Ever

## OATS PAST BILLION

Somewhat of a surprise was furnished by the government final crop report in that it reduced its estimate of the spring wheat crop, but increased that of winter wheat. The total wheat crop was brought up to 730,267,000 bushels, compared with 720,301,000 bushels—the preliminary estimate.

The final estimate of the corn crop is 3,124,746,000 bushels against 3,169,137,000 bushels, last month's estimate. This is the largest crop on record and compares with 2,531,488,000 bushels in 1911. The yield is 29.2 bushels per acre on an area of 107,083,000 acres. Despite the tremendous crop, however, the value will be under that of last year's crop. The average price at the farm Dec. 1 was 48.7 cents per bushel compared with 61.8 per bushel last year. The crop is thus given a value of \$1,520,454,000 compared with \$1,565,258,000 in 1911.

The winter wheat crop is now placed at 399,919,000 bushels against the preliminary estimate of 390,000,000 bushels, and spring wheat at 330,348,000 bushels against the preliminary of 330,301,000 bushels, a reduction of but 43,000 bushels. The total wheat crop, which is the third largest which the country has produced, having been only twice exceeded by a small margin, is given a total value of \$535,280,000 compared with \$543,063,000 last year. The average price Dec. 1 was, however, much lower, being 76.0 cents per bushel against 87.4 last year.

The final estimate of the oats crop is 1,418,337,000 bushels against a preliminary estimate of 1,417,172,000 bushels, an increase of 1,165,000 bushels. This constitutes the largest oats crop ever in the United States and compares with a final yield of 922,208,000 bushels last year. The yield is 37.4 bushels per acre on an acreage of 37,917,000 acres. Although the price of oats at the farm Dec. 1 was but 31.9 cents a bushel against 45.0 last year, the total crop is given a value of \$462,469,000 against \$414,663,000 last year. The three principal crops, in other words, have a value of \$3,494,071,000 against \$3,030,619,000 last year, an increase of \$463,452,000.

The corn, wheat and oats crops in bushels for four years are given below:

	Corn	Wheat	Oats
1912	3,124,746,000	730,267,000	1,418,337,000
1911	2,531,488,000	621,336,000	922,208,000
1910	2,880,290,000	635,121,000	1,188,341,000
1909	2,532,189,000	737,189,000	1,097,000,000

As a matter of fact, notwithstanding the smaller yield, more domestic wool has reached the market for the year to date than was received here in 1911, so that comparatively light arrivals must be expected weekly hereafter. The reported totals are about 232,000,000 pounds this year against close to 224,000,000 pounds to date last year. The total recorded arrivals for the year, therefore, which will close in less than another fortnight, are likely to be approximately 235,000,000 pounds of domestic wool.

Foreign wool receipts for the year have been nearly double last year's recorded total, and will aggregate by Dec. 31 about 125,000,000 pounds.

Aside from arrivals reported, there have been, presumably, considerable quantities that do not figure in the current statistics; but shipments, on the other hand, it is a recognized fact in the trade that the amount of both do-

Under this arrangement the present equipment will be withdrawn within a very short time and there will be substituted an all-steel equipment of the very latest and approved design and finish.

About 250 cars will be involved in this substitution. The Pullman Company will take over the present New Haven parlor and sleeping car equipment on appraisement.

For many years the Pullman Company has sought entry into New England over New Haven lines, and it is recognized that for parlor and sleeping car service the New Haven territory is among the most valuable in the country for an operating car equipment company.

Should the New Haven attempt to order a new steel car equipment for parlors and sleepers, it would probably be very many months under construction owing to the present crowded state of the car manufacturing companies, but under the proposed contract the Pullman Company will have every incentive for the quickest delivery and the highest grade of service.

The contract imposes not only prompt delivery and the latest modern equipment, but substitution of any improved designs that may come out later.

## PRESIDENT A. YAGER RESIGNS

GEORGETOWN, Ky.—Dr. Arthur Yager, for six years president of Georgetown College, has resigned. Dr. Yager has been connected with the institution in various capacities for 28 years. For 10 years he has been chairman of the Rhodes scholarship committee for Kentucky.

## COMING HOLIDAYS ABROAD

All European markets will be closed Dec. 25 and 26. The Paris exchange will also close on Dec. 23 and 24, and Dec. 27 will be observed as a holiday in London.



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## NEWS BY CABLE AND CORRESPONDENCE

SIR STUART SAMUEL  
NOT RESIGNING SEAT,  
WRIT IS OBTAINED

He Justifies His Action  
by Contending That the  
Finance of India Has No  
Connection With Britain

## SILVER IS BOUGHT

(Special to the Monitor)

LONDON—When the fact transpired that a member of the House of Commons had apparently infringed the statute which prevents any member from making a profit from the government, through a financial transaction, without resigning his seat and submitting himself for reelection, the demand was made that this member should resign his seat.

Not many years ago, when two Unionist members found themselves in a similar position, they did resign their seats and offered themselves for reelection. On the present occasion Sir Stuart Samuel, the member in question, who sits as a Liberal for Whitechapel, resisted the demand, with the concurrence of the cabinet, on the ground that there was no connection between the finance of India and the finance of the United Kingdom.

Whether this is technically a true defense or not, a great many people think that it would have been wiser if the seat had been vacated in any case. The prime minister took the opportunity of referring the matter to a select committee. A select committee is, however, necessarily a party committee, and a party committee has scarcely the detachment to pronounce impartially on such a question.

## Penalty Is Claimed

The result of this has been shown in the fact that a "common informer," to use the legal term, has obtained a writ against Sir Stuart, under the act of George III., claiming the penalty of £500 for every vote given by the member in the 93 divisions in which he has taken part since he presumably infringed the statute, the total amount being £46,500. It is, of course, not to be imagined that the informer is actuated by any wish to recover the financial penalty. What has inspired the action is the determination to test the position legally, quite apart from any action of the House.

Two questions have arisen over the action of the government. The first question is that of the purchase of silver, the second question is that of keeping a reserve in London. They are both questions of vital importance to the welfare of the empire. The second has been dealt with in our financial correspondence.

The first is a purely political one. The defense put forward by the government is simple. It is that a ring had been formed to force up the price of silver. That, in consequence of this, it was thought advisable to buy through a source which would arouse no suspicion, and thirdly, that the under secretary of state for India, the Hon. Elwin Montagu, who is Sir Stuart Samuel's first cousin, had nothing whatever to do with the details of settling the purchase, which were undertaken by the finance committee of the India council, presided over by Sir Felix Schuster.

## Silver Ring Alleged

It is a considerable time since the Indian government has bought silver. This fact was known to certain native speculators, and an attempt has been made to corner the market by buying up silver in the interval, so as to make an unfair profit from the government when the purchasing was renewed, as it was bound to be.

Now, in the first place, it was not necessary to have allowed the interval to occur, and, in the second place, the interval having occurred, it was surely not necessary to desert the Bank of England in favor of the bank of which the chairman of the finance committee of the India council happens to be governor.

Nor is this all. It can scarcely be argued that, in order to throw dust in the eyes of the speculators in silver, it was necessary to buy through the firm of Samuel, Montagu & Co., in which the brothers of the under secretary of state for India are partners, as well as his cousin, Sir Stuart Samuel, who happens, in addition, to be the brother of the postmaster-general. Surely it would have been possible to have instructed the Bank of England to display as much secrecy as was displayed by Messrs. Samuel, Montagu & Co. and to employ agents quite as likely not to be connected with the government as the under secretary of state for India's brothers and cousin.

It so happens that Messrs. Samuel, Montagu & Co. bank with the house of which Sir Felix Schuster is governor, the Union Bank of London, and therefore it came about that the financial transactions would naturally pass through the hands of this bank.

## Transactions Censured

There is no need to hint that any improper use was made of the authority of the finance committee of the India council, nor even to hint that the commission of £7513 paid to Messrs. Samuel,

SOU DU SOLDAT  
PAMPHLETS LEAD  
TO 19 ARRESTS

(Special to the Monitor)

PARIS, France—Pamphlets containing statements of an insulting nature to the army were circulated recently among soldiers of the Paris garrisons as well as in the provinces.

The pamphlets were issued in the name of the confederation known as the "Sou du Soldat" and incited, not only recruits, but those who have completed their military service, to insubordination, and advised them to refuse to obey instructions when ordered to suppress strikes.

Nineteen members of the confederation, leaders of the revolutionary Labor party, and militant syndicalists, have been arrested in connection with the matter, and have been condemned to three months imprisonment, and to pay a fine.

In the meantime numerous meetings have been held at which the Socialists have expressed their entire disagreement with the war, and it is understood that definite and final arrangements were made for this expression of opinion to be further emphasized by a general strike of 24 hours duration.

REICHSTAG FACED  
HEAVY PROGRAM

(Special to the Monitor)

BERLIN, Germany—The Reichstag which reopened after an unusually long period of rest, had a considerable amount of work demanding almost immediate attention and the program was exceptionally strenuous.

Besides the debates on the imperial budget—which, despite the favorable agricultural situation, appears to necessitate further considerable loans—the questions of the petroleum monopoly and the import of foreign meat were up for discussion. For the second elections to the Württemberg Diet, the Radicals and Social Democrats came to an understanding to support each other in a number of districts.

NEW ROYAL ACADEMICIAN  
IS ESSENTIALLY INDIVIDUAL

(Special to the Monitor)

LONDON—At the general assembly of academicians and associates of the Royal Academy, Henry Herbert La Thangue, A. R. A., was elected to the full honors of royal academican.

Special examiner to the board of education and an artist of great technical merit, the election of Mr. La Thangue is one that has been anticipated for some time. Indeed it may be considered even rather long delayed, as this artist has been an associate for a considerable number of years. With the exceptions of Mr. North and Mr. Storr he is the oldest member in the body.

Strong and broad and modern, virile and authoritative, his work has raised him to the front rank in the achievements of the present day. His methods are French, rather than English, but he is essentially individual, not borrowing from any one or following to any great extent any particular school. By the painting of cattle and figures in sunshine, with broad and effective landscape, he is best known in the Royal Academy exhibitions, where his work has been growing in popularity for the last 20 years. He received his art education at the Royal Academy schools and at the Ecole des Beaux Arts, in Paris.

Montagu & Co. should not have been paid to them as much as to any other firm. What is undesirable is the fact that these transactions should take place between government officials and their own relatives or the business houses in which they are interested. That this is so is made clear by the statute which it is claimed Sir Stuart Samuel has infringed, and the defense that it was not an infringement, inasmuch as the transaction was an Indian one and not a British one, is rather a legal one than anything else.

"The government," Rupert Gwynne, the member for the Eastbourne division of Sussex, who has taken this question up, writes, "would do well to remember that principle may be more important than expediency. Even the temptation of securing a good bargain should be resisted in cases which may lend themselves to unfavorable comment."

"No one doubts the ability of the Montagu family. Indeed, the motto which they have adopted, 'Swift but sure,' seems remarkably appropriate. Since the present government has come into power the merit of the family has been fully recognized. A peerage was conferred on one member of the family, a baronetcy on another, a third is a cabinet minister and the fourth holds the under secretaryship of state for India."

"However uncommunicative the present cabinet may be to their brothers, however reticent the under secretary for India may be (who, like the hero in the Gilbert and Sullivan opera, appears to be surrounded by his brothers and his sisters, his cousins and his aunts) one cannot always count on having such discreet ministers, and the practice of giving contracts to relations should be avoided."

CAUSE OF PIT PONIES  
TAKEN UP IN BRITISH  
HOUSE BY UNIONIST

(Special to the Monitor)

LONDON—The question of the inspection of pit ponies, which was provided for under the coal mines act of 1911, was raised in the House recently by Mr. Butcher, Unionist member for York, who asked the home secretary if the inspectors provided for in the act had been appointed, and, if not, could he give any reason for the delay.

Mr. McKenna's reply was the reverse of satisfactory. No inspectors had yet been appointed, and the reason which he gave for the delay was that there had been a great number of applications, and that they had been referred to the board of mining examinations, lately established under the coal mines act, and he had not yet received their report, although he expected to do so shortly.

A vigorous discussion ensued, in the course of which it transpired that only six inspectors were to be appointed for the whole of the United Kingdom. This, whilst commented on adversely on account of the utter inadequacy of the provision, was shown clearly to do away with all excuses for delay. Mr. Butcher immediately gave notice that in view of the unsatisfactory nature of the home secretary's answer he would call attention to the matter on the motion for the adjournment that evening.

When it is remembered that there are well over 3000 mines in the United Kingdom and that in some of these the number of ponies employed is very large, it will readily be seen that the provision is quite inadequate. Even if each inspector was able to visit two mines on every working day in the year, an almost impossible feat, it would mean that no mine could be inspected more than once in twelve months.

STEAM PLOWING  
IS FAVORED FOR  
BOMBAY LANDS

(Special to the Monitor)

CALCUTTA, India—For some time past the agricultural department of the Bombay government has been investigating the question of introducing mechanical traction for plowing and other operations of cultivation, and it is felt that the matter is of growing importance, owing to the scarcity of fodder, cattle and labor, in addition to which land digging is an inefficient means of clearing the soil of weeds.

The Bajac windlass plow, drawn by bullocks, has now been introduced, and there is a rapidly growing demand for its use, but progress is slow, as it only works at the rate of one-fourth acre per day, and in view of the enormous areas of weed-infested lands that require deep plowing, steam traction is called for.

A scheme has now been prepared, and a double engine steam plowing plant will be obtained, capable of plowing eight acres per day, at a cost of Rs.17 (3.40) per acre or about half the cost of the Bajac plow. In sugar cane tracts the introduction of the steam plow promises excellent results as the soil requires deep cultivation during the dry season, an operation which under existing conditions puts the cultivator to great expense.

BUSINESS LEAGUE IN  
BRISTOL ON NEW PLAN

(Special to the Monitor)

BRISTOL, England—A number of prominent manufacturers and merchants recently met at Bristol with the object of establishing "a business league," similar to an organization which has been started in the Midlands with 200 members, rapidly increasing to 1300, the majority of whom were working men.

The objects of the league, stated broadly, are to separate business affairs from political considerations and to deal with the national commercial matters on lines which would commend themselves to a body of men engaged in the management of a large concern, and free from all the hundred and one pull-backs so necessarily associated with the party system.

To this end some of the objects aimed at are the appointment of a prominent business man to a new position of "minister of commerce," quite distinct from the president of the Board of Trade, the quickening of the foreign consular service for more useful and practical work on behalf of the national trade interests in foreign countries, the elimination of political bias from the question of tariff reform, so that the matter could be considered and dealt with solely on the basis of a business proposition in all its many bearings.

It was thought that if the hands of the government were free and if foreign countries knew they had the power to bargain and retaliate, they would be in an immensely better position. Whether this question could be dissociated sufficiently from political considerations to enable all parties to unite on a common business platform, was questioned by various speakers, but all were agreed that the league might do some excellent work in the city of Bristol without supplanting other organizations such as the Chamber of Commerce, a body which locally has done much in stimulating and consolidating trade interests.

For the most part, chambers of com-

WAYS OF OPPOSING  
WAR ARE ARGUED BY  
FRENCH SOCIALISTS

(Special to the Monitor)

PARIS—The various methods of opposing war, proposed by the French Socialists at an extraordinary national congress held to give formal instructions to the representatives of France to the anti-war congress held in Basle, included proposals of policy by Messrs. Herve, Compere Morel and Jaures.

Gustave Herve recommended the adoption of revolutionary action against war, since in countries where universal military service obtained the general strike would be ineffective once war was declared. M. Herve's resolution, however, did not meet with general approval, it being considered an attempt at reversion to methods of secret conspiracy.

Compere Morel said that France at this present juncture was not called upon to impose a policy upon the international which the various sections of that organization had neither accepted nor endorsed.

After M. Jaures' speech, which was indecisive, though eloquent, a committee was appointed to draw up a resolution embodying the various tendencies revealed at the meeting.

ROAD IN PERSIA  
CLOSED BY CHIEF

(Special to the Monitor)

TEHRAN, Persia—The road between Bushire and Shiraz has been closed. At no time during recent years have the caravan routes in Persia been entirely free from attacks from the various tribes living in the neighborhood. In spite of assurances made from time to time by the Persian government that adequate steps were being taken to insure the safety of traders, using these roads, the conditions have not improved to any very appreciable extent.

Many reasons have been put forward for this, but the most important of them all is doubtless the continued unrest and unsettled condition of affairs in the country due mainly, if not entirely, to the aggressive attitude of Russia and to the permanent presence of so many Russian troops in the country. In the present instance it has been found necessary to close the road, owing to the activity of a Tangistani chief who has taken up a position on the road near Bushire.

## MARBLE CRAFTS LODGE MEETS

(Special to the Monitor)

LONDON—The first instalment meeting of the Marble Crafts lodge, No. 3522, met at St. Paul's cathedral. This lodge consists solely of members engaged in the marble, stone, and granite trades. After visiting St. Paul's, the members of the lodge drove to Westminster Abbey, and from there went to the Hotel Great Central for the installation ceremony and banquet.

INDIAN STYLE OF  
ARCHITECTURE IS  
WANTED FOR DELHI

(Special to the Monitor)

LAHORE, India—An appeal for the employment of Indian architecture in the new capital is made by the Tribune of Lahore. Ever since the announcement of the transfer of the capital from Calcutta to Delhi, it writes, the demand has been made that the Indian style of architecture should be adopted in building the new capital, as an unprecedented opportunity is offered for the purpose.

It is an accepted truism, it adds, that the fate of all the other arts and crafts of India is bound up with the future of Indian architecture, and it is on this account that the employment of Indian architectural talent has been persistently insisted upon in the building of the new capital.

After referring with approval to the known inclination of the viceroy in this direction, the Tribune points out that if the Delhi of tomorrow is to have a name that will endure like those of Babylon, Thebes and Rome, it should not be a European but an Indian city which will harmonize in ages to come with the living memories of Indraprastha and Hastinapur and the silent but eloquent remains of the imperial Delhi of the Moghuls.



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## INDIANS' CASE PRESENTED

Mr. Gokhale tells South Africans that treatment must be remedied on just basis

(Special to the Monitor)

KIMBERLEY, S. Africa—Kimberley gave Mr. Gokhale, a member of the Viceroy's council visiting South Africa, a cordial reception. A large banquet, presided over by the mayor of Beaconsfield, was given in his honor at which several directors of De Beers were present.

Mr. Gokhale delivered an impressive speech on the necessity of recognizing the new impulse that had swept over the east, since the beginning of the present century. The assurances given by England that her sole aim and intention was to gradually advance the people of India to a position of equality with the people of England themselves, could not be gone back upon without bringing failure and disaster. The people of India were willing to owe allegiance to the empire until they reached the stage at which they would enjoy the respect of the self-governing communities of which the empire was formed.

The two conditions of progress were that India should do nothing to cause any doubt to be cast on her loyalty, and England should do nothing to make it be thought that she was going back on the promises made in the past.

The treatment of Indians throughout the dominions was not satisfactory, and unless that treatment was remedied on a basis of justice there would be serious

## RHODESIA CLOSER TO RAND

(Special to the Monitor)

JOHANNESBURG, S. Africa—The opening of the new railway from Zeerust to Mafeking has shortened the distance between the Rand and Rhodesia by nearly 250 miles. It will also encourage trade between southern Rhodesia and the Union. A great increase in the importation of Union products in Rhodesia has been noted. In the present year the worth of the exports is registered at £300,000 as compared with £300,000 in 1908.

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TO THE Bostonian the name of Aeschylus brings up, among other things, that wonderful scene of deep blue seas and tall cliffs, of floating, white-robed ocean nymphs and the chained figure of Prometheus that make up one of the Puvie de Chavannes panels in the public library. It is next to a panel which shows Homer seated, while two standing figures bringing laurels represent the "Iliad" and the "Odyssey." On the opposite wall Plato is seen, in a world of blue skies and bright gleaming white porticoes, telling the student beside him that man is a plant not of earth but of heavenly growth. The selection of three great Greek names and one Latin (Virgil for pastoral poetry) out of all the records of literature to symbolize the treasures of the library is significant enough, in this day when it is rather the fashion to think that the classic literature is too far behind modern progress to be worth a student's tarrying.

Of the many plays of Aeschylus only seven are extant. He first appeared as a tragedian, B. C. 490. He distinguished himself at the battle of Marathon and also fought at Salamis. Schlegel says of him: "He flourished in the very freshness and vigor of Grecian freedom and a proud sense of the glorious struggles by which it was won seems to have animated him and his poetry." This warlike vein is notable in the "Persians" and the "Seven Against Thebes," while the "Agamemnon" describes touchingly the details of the soldier's life. The "Oresteia" (the first of the Oresteian trilogy; the two others being "Choephoroi" and the "Eumenides"). This trilogy has particular interest at this hour from the use which Richard Strauss has made of the story in his "Elektra." The last of the seven plays is the "Suppliants," describing the flight of the daughters of Danaus from Egypt.

The Greek dramas are supposed to have been written usually, if not always, in trilogies, all bearing on the same subject. Therefore it is fortunate that of the extant plays of Aeschylus three make up what was probably a trilogy. Wagner, we know, followed this plan in the Nibelungen cycle.

The "Suppliants" is perhaps the earliest of the Aeschylean dramas and is interesting from the fact that the chorus is the heroine and the single characters might almost be omitted and still leave the story and interest intact. It has little dramatic power, for we know as

much about it all at the beginning as we do at the close.

Aeschylus is supposed to have lived in Sicily for a time, after his defeat at one of the great dramatic contests at Athens by Sophocles. Later he retired to Sicily a second time in consequence perhaps of the aristocratic opinions expressed in his "Eumenides," which antagonized the government of Pericles. In "Prometheus Bound," pictured as noted above, Aeschylus shows the hero in a desert of Scythia, east of the Caspian sea, and Oceanus when he comes to console with him, somewhat in the mood of Job's comforters, says that he has arrived at the end of a long journey. Prometheus asks him if he has come to be a witness of his misfortunes, leaving "the stream that bears his name," and the rock-roofed grotto to come into "this iron-teeming land." No doubt, the artist in painting his Prometheus, figured the tides of ocean rising, rising till they covered the land and surrounded the rock where the hero was bound. Aeschylus seems more careful to explain how Oceanus got to Scythia than Shakespeare was when he placed a scene on the seacoast of Bohemia.

## Individual Liberty

IT MUST never be forgotten that our forefathers founded this republic on the idea of individual liberty. Socialism, communism, paternalism were furthest from their thoughts. They distrusted majorities, and with reason. As a hopeless, hapless, helpless minority they themselves had suffered the tyrannies of a majority. They came as outcasts to these wild and rugged shores to escape those tyrannies. What the Puritan demanded first and foremost was the right to be let alone; to think what he pleased; to do what he pleased, so long as he accorded to others a corresponding right. He recognized no class distinctions and forbade personal distinctions. The sole purpose of government from his standpoint was to preserve the peace and carry on business of national concern. Government was not an eleemosynary institution. It was no part of its function to play the Samaritan; to feed the hungry, clothe the naked or furnish employment to the idle. Government, look you! should be as impersonal as nature.

This spirit of personal independence—proud as a native Indian—is our unique inheritance, and God forbid we should barter it for a mess of pottage! Every law, however, philanthropically intended, creating categories, classes and distinctions among men should be construed in the light of our historic policy. So should every law that snatches of privilege. Every law which in effect takes from one and gives to another without compensation should be declared void.—From address before American Bar Association by Henry D. Estabrook, August, 1912.

## Where Prisons Are Schools

Those who wonder whether things are changing for the better in the world in general can have no more convincing reply to their query than the work which is being done in the prisons in New York state. Schools are held in them, under the supervision of Dr. Hill, state superintendent of public instruction, with a competent head teacher in each institution. School is held six days a week all the year round and the effect of this work, after a test of seven years, is said to have proved immensely beneficial. All the simpler branches of study are taught and the interest of the prisoners in the work is everywhere marked. The libraries are kept stocked with good, readable books, for the impulse of the men is to read constantly. Of course there is manual work required of them and the school training is not allowed to interfere with that. It is said that no illiterate man is nowadays turned out of these prisons, for they all gain some rudimentary instruction before they go. The new plans of teaching were instituted in the state at the same time that the striped prison garb was done away with, and the gray uniform substituted. The effort is to renew self-respect and courage in the men and to send them back to the world better for their enforced withdrawal from society.

## "Turn Thou to God"

THOUGH Christ a thousand times  
In Bethlehem be born,  
If he's not born in thee,  
Thy soul is still forlorn.  
The cross on Golgotha  
Will never save thy soul;  
The cross in thine own heart,  
Alone can make thee whole.

Whate'er thou lovest, man,  
That, too, become thou must—  
God, if thou lovest God.  
Dust, if thou lovest dust.  
Go out, God will go in,  
He thou and let Him live,  
Be not, and He will be.  
Wait, and He'll all things give.

To bring thee to thy God  
Love takes the shortest route;  
The way which knowledge leads  
Is but a roundabout.  
Drive out from thee the world,  
And then like God thou'll be—  
A heaven within thyself  
In calm eternity.

Let but thy heart, oh man,  
Become a valley low,  
And God shall rain on it,  
Till it will overflow.  
Oh shame! The silkworm works  
And spins till it can fly,  
And thou, my soul, wilt still  
On thine old earth-clo'd lie!

Man, if the time on earth  
Should seem too long for thee,  
Turn thou to God, and live,  
Time free, eternally.  
—Angelus Silesius (1624).

## Hearing Music

The educational process in music need not be in any sense a formal one, says the Bellman. Some of the most ardent lovers of the best music scarcely know the major from the minor mode, and have never so much as defined counterpoint. Here, again, music is allied to the other arts. One need know nothing of the technique of verse-writing in order to love poetry. This is where professional artists, and especially musicians, are so often led astray. Themselves trained in the mechanics of their art, they cannot conceive that a real love of the product can exist without some acquaintance with the machinery by which it is produced. The fact is that a musical education, from the learner's standpoint, consists mainly in experience. To enjoy the best music one must hear it, and hear it constantly.

I like the man who faces what he must  
With step triumphant and a heart of  
cheer;  
Who fights the daily battle without  
fear;  
Sees his hopes fail, yet keeps unfalter-  
ing true;  
That God is God—that, somehow, true  
and just  
His plans work out for mortals. Not  
a tear  
Is shed when fortune, which the world  
holds dear,  
Falls from his grasp; better, with love,  
a crust  
Than living in dishonor; envies not,  
Nor loses faith in man; but does his  
best,  
Nor ever murmurs at his humbler lot;  
But, with a smile and words of hope,  
gives zest  
To every toiler. He alone is great  
Who by a life heroic conquers fate.  
—Sarah K. Bolto.

A child needs not so much books of  
knowledge of the "how" type, which sat-  
isfy craving for facts, as those that set  
forth the wonders of the world so as to  
stimulate his search for the "why."  
—Century.

To crawl through a barbed-wire fence,  
says a wit, is a piece of fun with some  
point in it.—New York Post.

## Poets of Today in America

An interesting comparison is made in the preface of "The Lyric Year," a recent volume which reprints a hundred of the best poems of American poets that have appeared during the year past. It is remarked that Palgrave's "Golden Treasury" contained about a hundred poets, with 339 poems, ranging over three centuries, from Thomas Wyatt to Samuel Rogers. But of all these poems only five pieces are credited to women. On the other hand the work of women constitutes more than 40 per cent of this latest collection. The editor examined 10,000 poems by nearly 2000 writers of verse, which is a surprising enumeration to most Americans. That so many poems of merit have been the aftermath of a single year is only less amazing than the number of poets whose work was held worthy of consideration. We should watch the magazines more carefully with an ear attuned to the pulsating beat that the music makers of our own hour can give.

## POLITICAL ECONOMY AS A GUIDE

AT A LARGE meeting held in London at the Society of Arts, over which Sir George Askwith presided, the subject of political economy as applied to modern life was discussed by Harold Cox. Mr. Cox's treatment of this deeply interesting subject was simple and profound. He laid down the general rule that political economy should serve as a guide to the human race in those pursuits of happiness which were dependent on the production and distribution of wealth. The adoption of this idea, however, made the conception of man as merely money loving an impossibility. It was the unselfish impulses which had raised man in the scale of life, and the surrender of them would mean retrogression to the former level. The necessity for economic guidance in daily affairs was illustrated by Mr. Cox

in the indiscriminate giving of alms which constituted a temptation to meet to abandon honest industry and to seek a livelihood by degraded and degrading means. It was the necessity for a guiding standard which was felt in all attempts at philanthropy, whether by the state or by private individuals. Justice and mercy must be extended by all to all, and it was in the extension of these principles of conduct that lay the hope of the race, and not in any acts of Parliament or threats of trade unions. It was necessary, in view of the application of humane considerations to the business side of life, that a general rise in the moral tone of the community should be effected, and for this a new type of preacher was required who would denounce dishonesty in whatever class of life he found it, and would show how, in every phase of commercial life, the rule of giving the same measure to others that he would wish to receive himself could be applied.

## RURAL SCENE IN GREAT CITY



SNAPSHOT IN WASHINGTON PARK, CHICAGO

THIS is a scene, not on a farm where acres of grass and grain and woods spread to the horizons, but in Washington park, Chicago, where many acres of greenness do, however, hold the illusion of a country scene, as the picture shows. The two sheep caught by the camera were nibbling the sod close together in this way for a long time, as if in a special comradeship.

## Easily Explained

William Jennings Bryan, on his last visit to Philadelphia, said:  
"Oh, yes, they have no difficulty in explaining away the high cost of living. No difficulty whatever."  
"I know a woman who went to a fruit-er's to buy some apples the other day. The price of the apples shocked her."  
"Why are these so high?" she complained.  
"They're high, ma'am," said the salesman, with a gallant smile, "because they're so scarce."  
"But," said the woman, "I read in yesterday morning's paper that there was a bumper crop that the apples were rotting on the trees."  
"The salesman rubbed his hands. He smiled more gallantly than ever.  
"That's just it, madam," he said. "That's why they're scarce, of course. It doesn't pay, you see, to pick them."—Toledo Blade.

## Making Way for Big Ship

Some idea of the demands made on a port by the presence in it of one of the mammoth liners of today, is provided by the application made recently by the Clyde Lighthouses Trust at Glasgow, Scotland, to deposit 1,000,000 cubic yards of dredged material upon a certain area on the lower reaches of the river. The vast amount of dredging which this will entail is rendered necessary chiefly for the purpose of taking the Aquitania out to the open sea. This addition to the Cunard fleet should be ready for launching in the spring and for commission in the following year. She will be a vessel of 45,000 tons.

Guest—That singer must be the son of Stentor himself. Hostess—No; De Peyster was the name on his card.—Baltimore American.

## CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT

## Friend of the Chicks

One of the many interesting stories that are told about sheep dogs, the dogs trained to care for flocks of sheep, is printed in Our Four-Footed Friends. Here a sheep dog who was taken away from his occupation and tied up at the home of strangers was seen permitting three little chickens to eat from the side of his dish. When the dog was looked he decided to guard the flocks of little chickens just as he used to guard the sheep. He would follow them about wherever they went and if one of them got into difficulties in any way would do his best to help it out.

"I suppose the price of bread will go up, too." "Well, you know bread is never good unless it rises."—Baltimore American.

## ANSWER TO YESTERDAY'S PICTURE PUZZLE

Tinsel.

## Picture Puzzle



What toy for a gift?

## GOD'S CREATION

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BLESSED are the pure in heart; for they shall see God." When Jesus bade the people consider the lilies he was reminding them of the difference between the things of God's creation and those of human ingenuity. He said, "Solomon in all his glory was not arrayed like one of these," and "Wherefore, if God so clothed the grass of the field . . . shall he not much more clothe you?" Yet suffering humanity from that day to this has continued to see the lily fade and fall and little children needing proper clothing. Why? Jesus again gives the answer, and by his deeds. He showed that the beliefs of perishing flowers or bodies, or of human want, are alike false. He raised the dead and proved that the food which men said was lacking was at hand in abundance. Humanity, believing a lie, continues to see it manifested in its own false consciousness of things.

God does "feed and clothe man as He doth the lilies," as Mrs. Eddy puts it (Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures, p. 530). Mankind must give up all sense of power in matter or material thinking, and attribute all creative might to God alone, to divine Mind. Then they see that all things are created and fed (sustained) in and of Spirit, divine Mind, not of perishable matter.

They begin to "see the king in his beauty."

There is a misconception of Christian Science teachings which sometimes delays those who would enter into the understanding of Truth. When the nothingness of matter is affirmed some people think that the whole creation is wiped out, that nothing is left but vague formlessness. The teachings of Christian Science are the direct opposite of this. Jesus said that even the hairs of our heads are numbered. He typed thus vividly the infinitesimal perfection of God's creation. His power to conceive and to sustain the individuality of every least element of His every idea. Not as matter can we conceive of this, nor in material thinking. It is the eye of faith alone that sees, and spiritual thinking alone that understands.

We begin with faith, which is the state of human consciousness that precedes understanding. Jesus urged the people to believe him "for the very works' sake." That is, if they could not rise to his heights of spiritual vision, let them accept what he said as true and begin to practise it, because they saw the effects that followed his word.

Christian Science tells the world to lay aside the belief that there are two creations, two kinds of life, of love, of truth, and know that there is only one

creation, and that it is spiritual. It is an accepted fact to all Christianity that there is a spiritual man. It is supposed that some day a material body is laid aside and spiritual man seen. Christian Science says that the material body is only laid aside by the transforming process—a mental, not a physical process. By this the material beliefs about man are one by one laid aside and man in the image of God is at last beheld. Christian Science says that the real man is invisible to material sight, even as God is; and yet Jesus said that the pure in heart shall see God. He spoke to God and knew that God heard him; he showed the life of man to be intact when he brought forth Lazarus from the tomb. That is to say, he showed that Lazarus never died, for he had never lived in a body that could die. Jesus knew this. Here is the mystery to material sense. The eye of faith alone can see these things, but human thought is led to accept, though it does not yet understand, the testimony which the all-conquering understanding of divine reality sets forth here and now.

Mrs. Eddy has described the transitional process from mortal belief to spiritual understanding on pages 115 and 116 of Science and Health. Here we see mortal mind defined first as consisting only of evil beliefs, depravity. In the second degree we see evil beliefs dis-

appearing, and in the third degree understanding dawns. The qualities of the first degree include all evil beliefs. The second degree includes humanity and all the human qualities that we account noble; the third degree is the spiritual, where reality appears: "Wisdom, purity, spiritual understanding, spiritual power, love, health, holiness" (p. 116). Here is no sudden wrenching of thought from matter to Spirit, but a gradual purification. Christian Science does not teach that every object in the universe will be destroyed. Material thinking is to be destroyed, but the spiritual reality or identity of all things is eternal in the divine Mind.

Daniel realized something of this reality when he was saved from the lions. If he had thought of them as evil devouring beasts he could not have been protected. It was not a blind faith in supernatural protection which saved him. It was realization that in all God's universe there is nothing but love. To him the lion was an idea in infinite Mind, harmless and beautiful, and the great humble beasts stood for the moment as it were transfigured. The evil with which mortal mind would invest them was for the moment seen to be powerless, to be nothingness.

This is the process of healing in Christian Science. It is not by seeing a disease and then trying to destroy it,

not by seeing a sick man and trying to make him well, that the practitioner does his work. The healing follows from the understanding that there is no man capable of disease, that there is no disease, for all that God makes eternally reflects Him. This is the gradual process by which divinely scientific thought is transforming the world, whereby every object in the universe is gradually to be seen and understood in divine Mind.

There is no such thing as matter. Matter is a belief, a wrong mental viewpoint. No righting of human conditions can ever follow from working in matter. It is a shadow that vanishes, changing with every change of mortal thought. But at work in divine thinking, reflecting the divine Mind, resolving that there is nowhere an evil mind or an evil creation, Christian Scientists are slowly seeing what is to mortal sense a miracle—namely, the illumination of all creation with light and the divine reality shining everywhere. This does not appear in its fulness yet, for none immersed in shadows has yet cleared his sight as the sight of Jesus was clear. But the process of getting rid of materiality is going on, and the victory is sure. Not by opposing material methods to material evils, but by knowing the omnipotence of God is His kingdom seen "in earth as it is in heaven."

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## EDITORIAL

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### American Mediation

LONDON correspondents intimate that the conceded neutrality and supposed disinterestedness of the United States may lead Turkey and the Balkan allies to turn toward America for assent to acts of mediation or arbitration; and it is hinted from Washington that while the whole affair is still in the realm of speculation and fancy, nevertheless, if called upon, President Taft, imitating President Roosevelt's record in the Russo-Japanese war, will nominate agents representing the republic. He may do this the more readily because of his sincere belief in the principle of mediation and as a sign of his willingness to establish precedents that will hasten resort to the Hague tribunal.

Should there prove to be any basis for this rumored increased importance and moral authority of the western republic, it will disclose a far from unanimous response by lovers of peace and opponents of militarism. There is still a considerable minority in the United States that prefers to have American influence in Europe and Asia as passive and neutral as possible, that is obedient to the advice of Washington the first President. Not even for the sake of having a war composed would these folk have the nation implicated in European affairs. Over against this section of the electorate are those persons who, for various reasons, welcome American participation and if need be intervention in world politics. With some of this class the motives are economic and commercial. With others the arguments for an active policy rest on a more ideal basis. "To remain isolated as Washington advised is impossible. If, therefore, participation is inevitable, then let the game be played with rigor and gains and losses borne with dignity. Our power of an economic and moral kind now is such as to command respect. Let us use it for purposes that foster civilization." So runs the thesis of the advanced thinkers, and in the main it has been the working creed of recent presidents and secretaries of state. The present views of the incoming national executive are not well known so far as they have to do with foreign affairs. But President Wilson will be found, we think, somewhat more conservative than Mr. Roosevelt or Secretary Knox.

There are obligations resting upon the United States in connection with the two Hague conferences and their programs of action in time of war. If at any time state department officials care to acknowledge these and commit the republic to them in a practical way, they will probably find themselves backed by a majority of the American people. But the same obligations rest upon statesmen of other nations signatory to the same compacts.

### What Rise in Gasoline May Mean

HERE is another interesting industrial problem. It is not necessary to tell the intelligent observer that the rise of the motor car in this country and throughout the world has been wonderful, or that the introduction of the internal explosive engine has contributed principally to this rise. There are in use many thousands of electric and steam-driven automobiles, but the gasoline machine so greatly predominates that it is generally meant when no other type is specifically named. It is not going too far to say that the future of the motor car, for pleasure or for business, viewed from the present standpoint, is very largely bound up in the future of the gasoline supply.

Cheapness of this fluid in the past has gone far toward the development of the automobile industry. For several years, at least, the fuel for the machine was a secondary consideration. Of late, the cost of the machines has been declining, although workmanship has been improving and durability has been greatly increasing. The machines have been simplified, too, and knowledge of their parts has become so diffused, and users have become so adept, that the tax for maintenance has been very considerably lowered. While all of this advancement toward the wider use of the machine has been in the making, however, the price of gasoline has been going up. Cost of fuel for the automobile is no longer a secondary consideration.

From the first of January next the price of gasoline will be higher than it has ever been before. All contracts providing for a gallon price of 10 cents will then have expired, and there is said to be reason to believe that an advance of about 7 cents a gallon will be made by the Standard Oil Company. Retail prices will, of course, rise in sympathy. There is talk of a flat rate of 25 cents a gallon for the consumer. The owners of auto trucks and taxicabs will feel this most severely. It is true, perhaps, that the great majority of automobile owners, out for pleasure and able to pay the bills, will not allow the increased cost of operation to weigh against this pleasure, but it remains that many will feel the increased expense. Over and beyond this, moreover, is another consideration, namely, the question as to where the Standard Oil Company is likely to stop.

A short time ago this company notified users of its crude oil that after a certain date it would be unable to supply them. Many of the large power plants of the country, and many factories, large and small, have been using fuel oil of late years. It is used on locomotives in parts of the West. It has been adopted by mercantile steamships. The United States navy is employing it. Since the Standard's announcement, the government at Washington has taken the precaution to widen its present great area of reserved oil lands. President Taft last week withdrew from sale some large tracts that may at some future time yield large quantities of oil. Is there not a hint here for the automobile interests? Will it not be decidedly to their advantage to assure an ample and cheap supply of gasoline for the future? The Standard Oil Company is a great concern, but it is not nearly so great as the country. It is a monopoly only because it is permitted to be so. The nation is wide and its resources, even in oil, have as yet only been scratched. Why cannot the automobile industry safeguard itself by acquiring the means of providing for the gasoline supply of the future? There is little question that, if it shall undertake to do so, it will have the aid of all automobilists and the sympathy of the public. It is not too much to hope that it may also have some help from the United States government.

MUCH has been said in the newspapers recently, and to the great satisfaction of the general public, regarding the earnings of college students. Some surprising facts have come out, and they have contributed a great deal toward removing the impression prevalent in some quarters that the opportunities of higher education are reserved for those who are well able to pay for university privileges. Those familiar with the subject have long known better. There is not a great educational institution in the country that has not on its rolls a large number of students who are "working their way through." Latterly, however, statistics have been presented in this regard that have shed light on the subject even for those supposedly best acquainted with it. A much larger percentage of the students of Harvard, Yale, Princeton, Cornell and such institutions are wage earners than was supposed.

A very justifiable pride moves Charles S. Hartwell, head of the English department of the Eastern high school of Williamsburg, Greater New York, to issue a report showing that the ambition to obtain education at any reasonable cost of personal sacrifice and effort is by no means confined to college men. From February to September of the present year the students of the Williamsburg school earned in the aggregate \$22,364.68. About one fifth of the enrolled students in the English divisions work to pay their way. Of the amounts earned during the school term from February to June, 104 pupils made \$5082.05, and during the summer vacation 541 pupils earned \$15,996.60. The girls earned \$6367.95 in the entire seven months, and the boys \$15,996.73. To accomplish these results the students sold newspapers, ran errands, worked as office boys, bank messengers, salesmen, assistant stockkeepers, helpers in stores and in factories, as farmhands, agents for musical instruments, machinists, swimming instructors and common laborers. They were willing, that is, to do anything that came to them.

Many of these students are looking toward a college education; many graduates of the school, indeed, are at present in college, most of them "working their way," as they did in their high school days. "They are earnest in their work," says Mr. Hartwell. "They arouse my admiration." Such boys and girls are worthy of admiration, and they are certain to make honorable places for themselves in this republic. The motive that urges them on toward the attainment of knowledge, despite all obstacles, is likely to win success for them in any vocation that they may choose.

### California Anticipates a New Problem

MORE than a year ago this newspaper contained, and editorially commented upon, statistical matter gathered abroad with relation to the probable effect of the opening of the Panama canal upon the emigrating classes of southern and southeastern Europe. It was then shown that the isthmian waterway would enable the steamship companies to land immigrants from the part of the world referred to at points all along the American Pacific coast at rates so low as to induce a tremendous incursion. Since then considerable thought to the matter has been given by the press and public of California, Oregon, Washington and British Columbia. While it is assumed that the Pacific coast of South America, practically all of Central America and Mexico in North America, will attract many of these immigrants, opinion prevails that the great majority of them will seek opportunity in the states and province named.

California, it appears, has gone farther than any of the others in the matter of seeking dependable advance information in the premises. One of its organizations, the California developing board, has in its employment an agent whose business it is to inquire into the possibilities and probabilities that the state will be called upon to receive a great body of these immigrants, and, from information to date, the board draws the conclusion that the Panama canal will not be open very long, before the arrivals of Europeans landed by steamships passing through the waterway, within the borders of the state will total 50,000 annually.

The board is at present unable to decide whether this immigration should be encouraged or discouraged. In any event, it is deemed advisable that every step possible shall be taken with the view of directing the immigrants toward the soil. What California and its neighbors are most desirous of avoiding is the herding of these people in the towns and cities.

There would seem to be ample time in which to bring to maturity a plan that will make for the diffusion and proper distribution of the immigrants. Their labor is desirable and it will prove a valuable asset providing it shall be turned to account in the development of natural resources. To the extent that it may swell the ranks of the hand-to-mouth legion in the tenement districts, however, it can hardly be of any benefit. Pacific coast communities have the advantage of the experience in this respect gained by Atlantic coast communities in the last few years, and they should be ready to profit by it.

THE city of Boston has been dining and felicitating Sir Thomas Lipton, a Briton who finds himself much at home in America and who always gets a hearty welcome when he appears. His service to a sport in which Americans find delight and in which they have won renown has made him seem a comrade to all yachtsmen and to those persons who navigate the blue for the love of it. Patronage bestowed by him on designers of vessels has elevated the profession and benefited boat-owners. The sportsmanship he has shown in building, equipping and maintaining craft with which to challenge American supremacy in yachting and the admirable way in which he has borne defeat have won him a place in the national regard. Add to this an infectious humor, subtle wit and a human quality that enables him to get close to all sorts and conditions of men, and it is not surprising that he is given the keys of the city and freedom therein.

SOME of the news sent out from Alaska indicates that wagon roads are much more necessary out there than theories about the manner in which the country should be opened up. The settlers are ready to go in as soon as there is some hope of getting their products out.

PENNSYLVANIA is a state not usually thought of in connection with agricultural production, but the value of its crops this year, nevertheless, is put at \$329,554,000. Pennsylvania, overground and underground, is a favored commonwealth.

### High School Pupils Who Work Their Way

VIEWED from the standpoint of a public's right attitude toward a lawbreaker deprived of liberty and subject to social control because lawless, many young communities are more civilized than older ones. Thus twentieth century penology adapted to the ethics of Jesus and all specialized knowledge concerning causes of infringement of law seems to be finding more general acceptance today in states west of the Alleghenies than it is in states rimming the Atlantic where courts, jails and the like have been longest maintained. Such a situation is not surprising. Tradition, precedent, custom, all harden and thus fix methods where men have lived longest; and where there is the greatest complexity of social structure, there it is most difficult to bring about changes that strike at vested interests.

Thus it comes to pass that in some of the oldest of the commonwealths, in sections of the country that have been longest settled, there is today the least satisfactory theory or practise of prison administration. If the county jails of the North are schools of lawlessness and too often run by politicians devoid of any knowledge of the technique or aims of penology, the convict camps of the South are doubtless no more to the credit of Christian communities. In neither form of control and handling of the problem is there any other ideal than the deterrent and punitive; and in both cases administration of the system tends to tempt overseers to venality.

The Governor of Arkansas, unable to influence public opinion and bring about legislative action, has deliberately pardoned more than 300 persons subjected, in convict camps, to conditions far worse than those of ante-bellum slavery, conditions disclosed in an investigation that found evidence so startling as to be unprintable. In this case an executive, daring and aggressive, has freed whites and blacks from debasing servitude, carried on in the name of justice. Not every state is so led.

Exploitation of labor in the outer world of competitive industry by grasping, self-regarding individuals is bad enough in its ethical and social results. But what shall be said of the many states of the Union, North and South, that, having in the name of justice deprived men and women of liberty and having assumed over them the role of guardian, to one or the other of two things, each destructive of the morale of prisoners, namely, refuse them a chance at toil of any kind or lease them out to private contractors for exploitation. There is "tainted" money in many a city, county and state treasury coming from sources of profit where the community itself is in league with the exploiter of humanity.

ONE of the newest and happiest ideas in house-planning is the combination of the conservatory and living room. The earlier settlers used to build this way, and they frequently threw the dining room and kitchen into the combination for good measure.

AN OPPORTUNITY is now open to the express companies to create a sentiment that may help to sustain them against government competition in 1912, and they are taking a step in the right direction by safeguarding patrons against collections at both ends.

THE \$40,000 Nobel peace prize lapses this year because, it is said, nobody has earned it. Naturally the sergeants-at-arms of last summer's national political conventions in the United States are wondering how such oversights can be possible.

SETTLEMENT workers are performing a useful service, and that one of them in New York, who is teaching neighborhood boys to make articles of furniture out of discarded packing boxes is no exception to the rule.

SOME people like to shop early, and some like to shop late, but most people prefer to do it when they have the money.

FROM Washington comes the news that Speaker Clark is greatly impressed with a recommendation by Representative Townsend of New Jersey, that the "Mr." be dropped from names in House roll calls hereafter in the interest of economy in time and money, and that he may adopt it at once, providing there is no objection from the floor. Representative Townsend, it appears, has been giving the matter a good deal of serious thought, and with some important results. He has discovered, it seems, that by leaving off the "Mr." from every name called by the clerk in running over the roll, twenty minutes to each roll call may be saved, and on the basis of the cost of Congress to the country, he estimates the total saving by the improved process to be worth \$500,000 a year to the treasury. In the present House the time required for each roll call is forty-five minutes. The membership will be increased from 394 to 435 in the next Congress, and the time that will be consumed in calling the roll will then probably be stretched out to a full hour. It is not difficult to see how a few roll calls at this cost of time would consume the greater part of the legislative day. By the elimination of the conventional and complimentary prefix "Mr.," Mr. Townsend thinks, time given to each roll call may be reduced to half an hour.

The hope of money saving in this instance will be less likely to appeal to the American people than the possibility it opens of greater efficiency in the workings of the House. There are some things that cannot well, even in this material period, be altogether placed upon a basis of dollars and cents, and it is very certain that there would be widespread popular objection to an innovation in the methods or procedure of Congress proposed for the sole or principal purpose of economizing. Congress is an expensive institution, but it is representative of the people, and it is necessary to the conduct of the government they have set up; therefore it is neither intended nor desired that it shall be conducted too cheaply. The people are entirely willing to maintain the dignity of Congress, and to be most liberal in their allowances to that end. In return they ask for faithful and able service.

The Townsend proposition would seem to lead to economy of a kind that must be as acceptable to the members of the House as to the country at large. There is no adequate compensation for time wasted in roll calls, as there well might be in time lavished on discussion. The quicker the mere mechanical act of calling the roll can be performed, the greater latitude will there be for general proceedings. If the members might be called by number, or if they might be recorded as voting by touching buttons on their desks it might be still better. The dropping of the "Mr." may not be all that is necessary, but it is a step in the right direction.

### Care of Prisoners Tests Civilization

### Dropping "Mr." on House Roll Calls

### Greeting a Distinguished Yachtsman